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# EAGLECENTRIC

## 1995

Eaglecentric. What did that mean to the Eagles of North Carolina Central University? It simply meant expressing their true Eagle Pride in all ways possible. It meant not being different but making a difference. Life for students at North Carolina Central meant more than attending classes.

Our campus population was very diverse. With over 5,000 students, 800 faculty and staff members, and numerous campus visitors, our very diverse backgrounds, beliefs, religions, and ethnic differences were put on the back burner as we came together and made 1994- 1995 an unforgettable year!

Campus life for some students meant shooting pool in the Union, listening to the featured comedian on Saturday nights, or entertaining fans during halftime at O'Kelly Riddick Stadium. On a sunny day, students flocked to the patio, abandoning textbooks and Physics homework. The patio served as the Eagles center meeting point and provided a comfortable spot for students to catch up and just chill.



Leighann Lord was one of our featured comedians.

Students socializing during 10:40 break.







SGA President Tonia Hicks displays her Eagle Pride.

Within the beautiful sloping hills and the verdant green of North Carolina Central University lies a purpose to educate the minds of the future. At this university, academics is the top priority. Indeed, student life, athletics, and special events are important but they serve only to embellish the purpose of this university. Our goal is to produce the brightest, most studious, and most productive citizens of tomorrow. Tests, quizzes, mid-terms, finals, thesis, research projects, and presentations are all a mere facts that contribute to the field of academia. North Carolina Central University, one of the sixteen constituent universities within the UNC system, dedicates its purpose to enhancing the minds of African Americans in this vast society. Our graduates are prepared to tackle the needs of this diverse world.



**Professor teaches his students  
about linear equations.**

# Getting Down

to the

Basics:

A Look at NCCU Academics

"I'm very proud of North Carolina Central University, I have seen significant changes. Our Chancellor is dedicated to Academics First and mentally that makes a difference in how we are viewed by other top universities and perspective students." Traci McCluney, Sophomore

"I'm satisfied with the direction of NCCU. As a senior, I have seen many changes that not only help to graduate top students, but also helps earn the respect of other schools and the corporate world." Martin Broadway, Senior

"By choosing to come to Central, we, as young black students, are learning what it takes to achieve the success we desire. Central is preparing us for the real world. It is also helping us better ourselves as individuals." Kharlon Gulbreath, Junior

"The Academic program at North Carolina Central University has great potential and is growing stronger everyday!" Brent Collier, Freshmen

"I have been here at Central for four years now and I have found that the Academic Program at NCCU, challenging, time-consuming, and tough. But, it can also be self-full filling with hard work." Cedric Gait her, Senior





Professor Robert Creecy lectures to his Medical Sociology class about Health Care Reform.

## FOCUS ON ACADEMICS



Students walk rapidly to and from class in their quest to be the best lawyers, biologists, teachers, accountants, journalists, actors, and nurses.







NCCU student prepares for her  
next academic challenge.

Remember sketching trees, and  
NCCU's landscape for Art 2110.





Students are working hard at their studies in the James E. Shepard Memorial Library.



Sharing knowledge with their students is what the NCCU faculty does best.

Professor makes biological concepts a little clearer.



NCCU student does some last minute studying before the big exam.





There is not a better method of teaching than experimentation.



Ms. Womble explains the importance of speech communication.



NCCU professors are always willing to help.

He has the look of a hard working, dedicated NCCU student.



NCCU faculty are willing to help with the realization of a student's occupational goals.

From fact to fiction, literature to science, professionalism to individualism, and culture to community; North Carolina Central University highlights it all. Diversity is truly exemplified at NCCU. Professors come from all parts of the world. Some are from Africa, Russia, Spain, Jamaica, while others are from the United States. Since these different cultures exist on the campus, the style of learning is unique. Students receive first hand experience from the best academicians. The population of the student body is also adverse. Students come from all walks of life. This strengthens the rationale of why the learning environment is original and outrageous. North Carolina Central University the mecca of higher education.

# KNOWLEDGE IS POWER THE KEY TO SUCCESS





In order to get something fulfilling out of life, one must discover the art of work. Hard work and diligence begins at North Carolina Central University. The serious side of this university is Academia. It is one facet that must be examined, cherished, and taken seriously. The challenge is to ensure that our students become competitive, cognitive, and well-rounded to face the demands of this adverse society. The theses, term papers, lectures, laboratory experiments, book reports, computer applications, research projects, and exams are factors that one must complete successfully before achieving the ultimate goal: GRADUATION.





Chancellor Julius Chambers ponders over the challenges that lies ahead for NC Central University.



# AT THE HELM

## THE ALUMNUS PREVAILS

After two years at North Carolina Central University, it is not hard to realize that Chancellor Julius Chambers is at the helm of his alma mater. Chancellor Chambers recognized the needs of this illustrious university and immediately developed strategies that would place North Carolina Central University at a higher rank within the University of North Carolina System. The Chancellor places academics as his top priority. During the 1993-94 academic year, Chancellor Chambers established new admission requirements for admission to NC Central University. He set a goal to obtain a 900 SAT Average Score for the 1994-95 academic year. The SAT average score for the Freshmen Class admitted to NCCU for the 1994-95 academic year was 879. In spite of the odds, NC Central admitted one of the top freshmen classes in the history of the institution. One of the Chancellor's goals is to make North Carolina Central the top liberal arts institution.



Chancellor Chambers enjoys a discussion with students at his home.

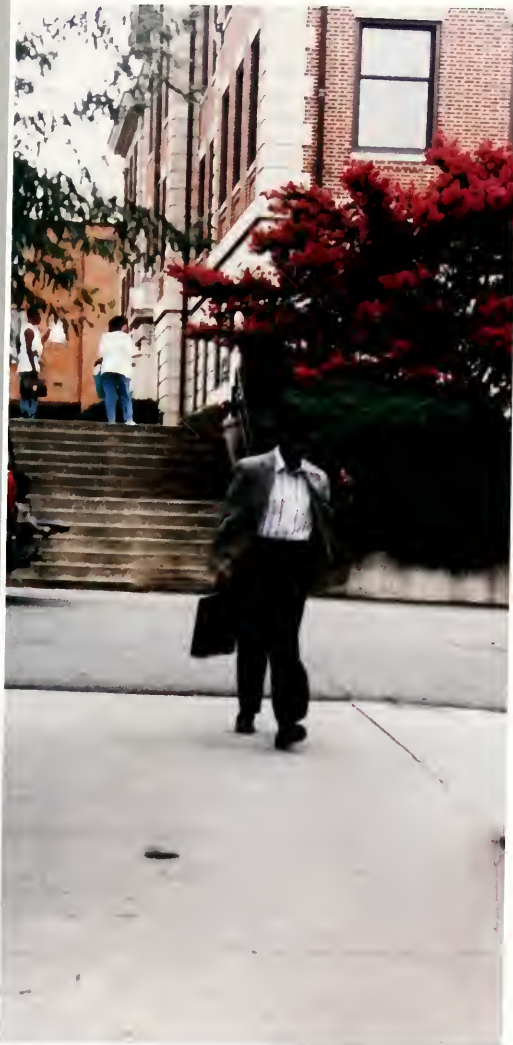


Ms. Francina Tate, Special Assistant to the Chancellor, reviews document with Office Assistant.

The Chancellor's Office Staff in rare form.



# THE ART of LEARNING



Mr. Velez, University Counselor,  
rushes to his Orientation class.



Freshmen students engaged in a discus-  
sion about author, Henry Louis Gates.  
Gates wrote *Colored People*.





Sophomore Jamaine Wilson enjoys her leisure time studying on the verdant green.

I am convinced that my life belongs to the whole community; and as long as I live, it is my privilege to do for it whatever I can, for the harder I work the more I live. I rejoice in life for its own sake. Life is no brief candle to me. It is a sort of splendid torch which I got hold of for a moment, and I want to make it burn as brightly as possible before turning it over to future generations."

George Bernard Shaw

North Carolina Central University has over 1000 faculty and staff members, each with his or her own unique teaching style and flavorful personality. All are dedicated to the most important community service; education. They are unforgettable in their celebration of learning. Who could forget Dr. Juan Moon Wong and his famous overhead projector, Dr. Kenneth Chambers' unforgettable laugh and innovative lectures and discussions, or Dr. Diem's interesting points in American Government? How could we not remember Mrs. Stone's witty remarks or Dr. Earnest Mason's intellectually stimulating debates? Our faculty is not only marked by it's dedication and caring as well. Many professors can be seen working late at night, burning the midnight oil, in order to pass the torch of knowledge on to NCCU students.

Through dedication to intellectual service, our administrators and professors, have prepared students to take the professional world by storm as elite lawyers, doctors, accountants, scientists, and educators. They recognize the true strength of the eagle and merely strive to provide guidance and wisdom in order to channel that strength in a positive direction. To all the faculty and staff of North Carolina Central University: Like George Bernard Shaw you have dedicated your life to passing on the torch and for your efforts you are saluted!

Professor Minnie Forte does what she knows best. She lectures about interpretation of speech.







# Centering

# On

# Faculty

A Look At NCCU Faculty

"Teaching here at North Carolina Central university is quite a challenge. I enjoy teaching here because it is very rewarding. I don't think you could find such a reward at any other institution."

Dr. Thomas Hammond

"A lot of people my age think this generation is going to that hot place in the basket. But I don't share that view. I think these young men and women are wonderful and will change the world."

Dr. David W. H. Pellow

"I've always wanted to be a teacher and I enjoy the challenge of teaching language and literature. Students at NCCU have the ability to excel and I push them to do so. We as a whole must work together to maintain a climate for learning."

"North Carolina Central University develops minds, the minds of young African Americans it creates a diamond in the rough."

Constance Roberson

"What kind of encyclopedia do we use for reports?

We are historians we don't use encyclopedia's we right them."

Dr. Steven Fortune

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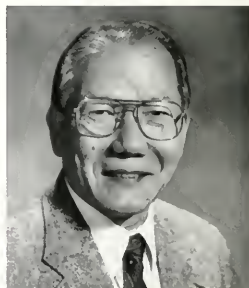
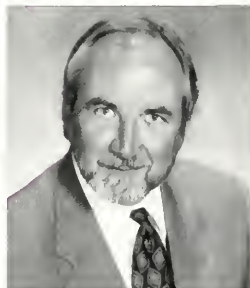
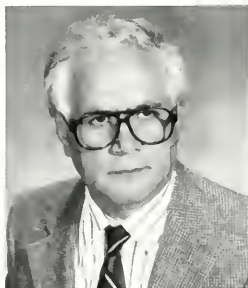




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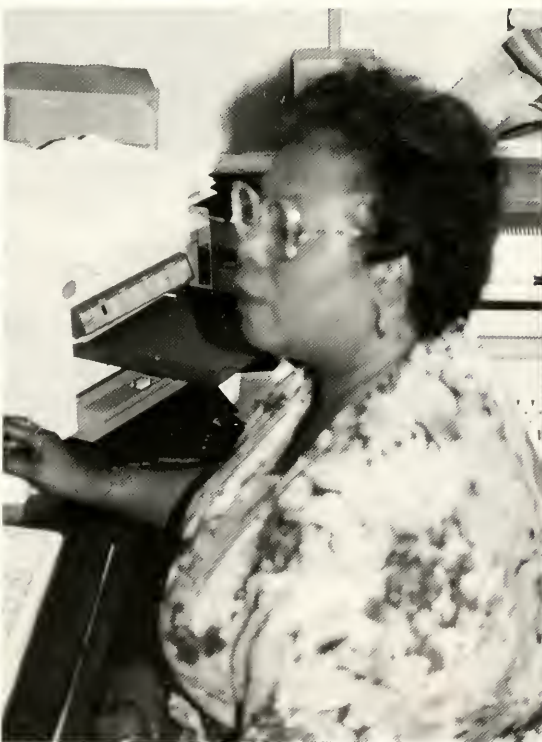




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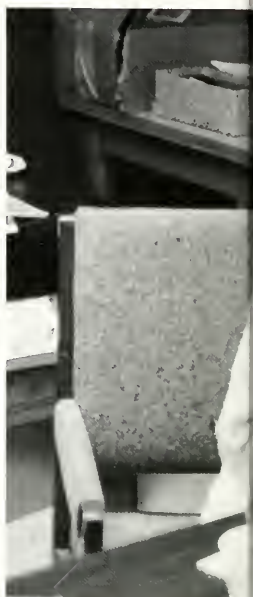
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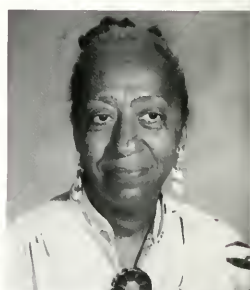




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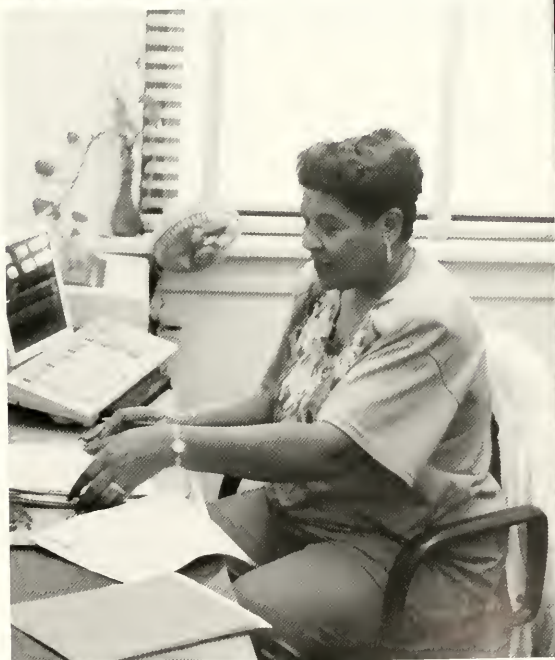




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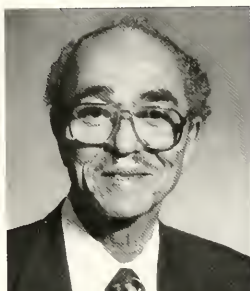
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What is Student Life like here at dear ol' NCC? Student life is more than a party at the Leroy T. Walker Complex, playing pool in the Student Union, or conversating on the patio during 10:40 break on Tuesdays and Thursdays. It includes the trials, tribulations, triumphs, and friendships that we experience during our years at North Carolina Central University. Many say that our college years are the best years of our lives and the memories that we create here, will be ones that we will cherish forever.

Do you remember the first person you met at North Carolina Central University? Do you remember your first meal in Pearson Cafeteria? Do you remember your first college party? These are things that may not seem important at the moment, but in years to come you will see how much they really mean.

Friendships, both good and bad, impact heavily on both your college career and your future. The closeness that develops among you and your fellow eagles will be one to last through many things to come.

The social aspect of college is always important, but lets not lose sight of the reason why you are here, to obtain an education. So study hard, have fun, for success is in your reach and in the end you shall find that elaborate career that you have worked so hard to achieve. The Eagle Flight continues ...

Eagle's unite to take flight.





# The Eagle's

## Nest:

### STUDENTS LIFE

A Look At NCCU Student Life.

"Here at North Carolina Central University you can always find something to get into. There are many opportunities on campus to get involved. I love movie night."

Bryan Mills, Freshman

"The social life at Central this year has seen much improvement. Central is getting away from the "suitcase" mentality packing up on the weekends and going home."

Christie Stancil, Sophomore

"Your social life here is what you make it to be. There are plenty of chances to get involved if you look for them and take the time to exemplify true Eagle Pride!"

Tracy Woody, Junior

"Due to the parties at the complex, movie night, featured comedians, and much more, NC Central has got it going on, therefore less violence! Also, the patio at NCCU pulls students to a central point so they can talk."

Sidney 'Shucky Ducky', Locks Soph.

"This, being my second year has definitely improved concerning campus activities. An effort is being made by SGA, campus organizations, and by the Student Activity Office to make 94-95 a more successful, active year for everyone." Monica Smith, Soph.



Our Student Resident Assistants preparing to make the 1994-1995 school year the best year for NCCU students.



"Welcome to North Carolina Central University" was one of the many sayings students heard as they arrived here at this distinguished university back in August. For many of them it was their first time away from home and they had no idea what to expect. A new home, with new friends is what many of them found here, as well as a sense of independence and responsibility.







Alumni return at the beginning of each school year to give back.



Annie Day resident receives his room assignment from one of the Resident Assistant.



Incoming Students are baffled at an Orientation Seminar.

Freshman receives help from family members as she moves into her new home.



The NCCU Sound Machine practices for an upcoming event.

Students hang out on the yard before having to tackle with classes.

The first couple of weeks here at NCCU took a lot of getting use to. People try to become acquainted with one another as well as with their new environment. This is a different environment from where most students come from. Despite the fact that the transition is difficult, most students are able to surpass the test and succeed here at NCCU.





# EAGLEMANIA



Students enjoy "piggin out" during Homecoming picnic with Alumni.

## HOMECOMING 1994



... and I will always love you. Erica McRae performs during Homecoming Week.

Oh, my aching back! Comedian Carl Banks keeps crowd laughing in the aisle.



1994 Mr. & Ms. Alumni show their maroon and gray spirit.

Eaglemania is truly on Sekou Gargonu back.

The Admissions Office hypes the crowd.

Let's do the Wave. The fans get into that Ole Eagle Spirit.



Miss Black & Gold, Nikki Yelverton waves to the crowd.



# 84th Founder's Day

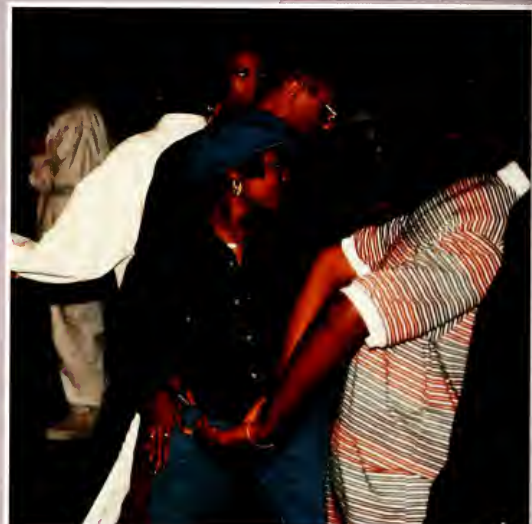


Tonia Hicks reflects during wreath laying ceremony.

Choir performs on Founder's Day.

Can you get a little closer? Students show love while dancing.

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Eagles shake their thang at Pre-Dawn. Which Eagle can hang to 6:00 AM?

Melvin Ingram and Rod Allison display their musical talents.





Ayanna Smith and the Smithlettes perform during the Choir Ball.

Jade look alikes perform during Choir Ball '94. 5-43-2-1 their time is up.

Johnny Gill, Jr. sings his heart out.

Students enjoy the Homecoming Show.

# CHOIR BALL 1994



Bernie Mack, comedian, keeps the crowd in stitches.



Wow, Who is that? None other than the sexy man himself, Aaron Hall.

## HOMECOMING CONCERT 1994



## *Isn't She Lovely !*

Miss NCCU, Eunice Junelle Gist, affectionately known as "Junelle", is the daughter of Jimmie and Eunice Gist of Charlotte, North Carolina. Junelle is a senior elementary education major with a concentration in social science.

As the official hostess of North Carolina Central University, Junelle is involved with various campus activities which include University ambassador (freshmen year), commentator for Bon Vivant Fashion Society (freshman, sophomore, junior years), the North Carolina Central University Cheerleading Squad, Early Orientation Program Mentor, and Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. (Alpha Lambda Chapter).

The twenty-one year old University Queen is not only a beautiful woman, hostess, and active student but also excels academically as an honoree of the Academic Dean's List and the National Dean's List for Outstanding Academic Achievement. Junelle has also won the crowns of Miss Freshman and Miss Cheerleader.

In her spare time, Junelle enjoys such activities as swimming and public speaking. Upon graduation from our prestigious university, she plans to obtain a master's degree in Speech and Hearing Pathology.

Junelle, who represents our university so well, certainly does so in the spirit of truth and service.



*Miss North Carolina Central University,  
Eunice Junelle Gist*

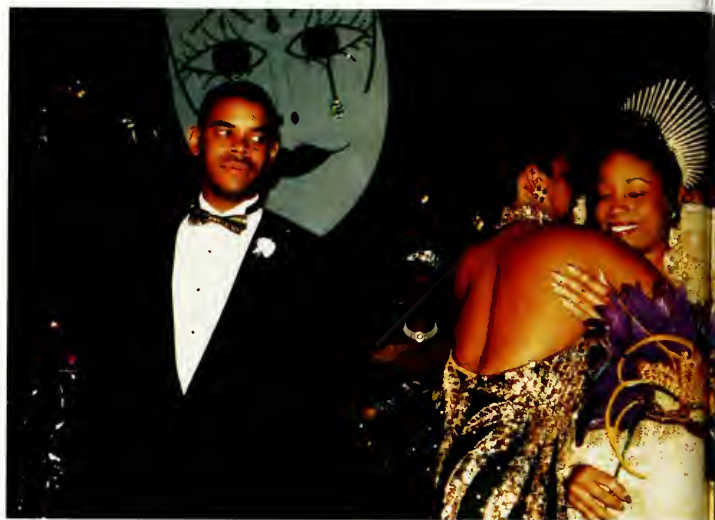


# MASQUERADE AT SUNSET"

## JUNELLE GIST, MISS NC CENTRAL



Junelle is escorted by her brothers from Charlotte, N.C.



Class Queens look on as Miss NCCU makes her entrance.



Coronation 1994 participants enjoy pizza during rehearsal.



Organizational Queens and their escorts enjoy coronation.



Miss NCCU Advisory Committee discuss last minute changes.



Chancellor Chambers and Laurie Robinson, Miss NCCU 1993 crown Junelle Gist.



Class Queens and Attendants step to "I Hear a Symphony."





# The Eagle's Life



Comedian Gary Ewing entertains NCCU students

NCCU students listen to the Dean's advice.



Dean R. Bryant  
shares his know-  
ledge with stu-  
dents.



NCCU tennis  
player passes the  
time enjoying a  
magazine.



## It's a Family Affair



Dr. Janice Harper discusses education with comrade.



A future eagle works it out on the runway.

Donald Noland serenades the crowd with comedy.





Ummm mm good. Student and parents share lunch.

NCCU Students and Parents enjoy a football game.



NCCU Dance Group displays their dancing talents.



SGA President's mom shares in our Eagle Pride.



One of the musical performers shares his musical genius.



Parental Advice: You are in charge of your own destiny; therefore I'm counting on you.



Students and Parents come together to enjoy Family Week-end.





Winners of the 1994  
Dating Game

In September of 1994, a few brave eagles came out daring to test the waters of true love in the Dating Game: Central Style. In hopes of finding love behind a wooden divider, participants formulated witty and creative answers to personal questions; some evoking hoots from the crowd and others producing raised eyebrows. What was at stake? A dinner for two at a local Durham restaurant with the person that may be a future romantic interest was the prize.



Contestant awes crowd with her quick and witty answers.



Contestant displays enthusiasm as he hopes he has found his true match.



He used his charm and sophistication to win a date with one of the available young ladies.

NCCU students are always involved.

NCCU students involved in intellectual discussions.



"Girl, look at HIM!"

"Can I play, sometime today?"





# STUDENT LIFE!



"It's just so good!"

"I really enjoyed the project."

(continued)



**Venega and Tasha  
work hard sorting  
mail.**

**Student life is also  
about sharing good  
times.**



Student listens attentively to a lecture in B.N. Duke auditorium.



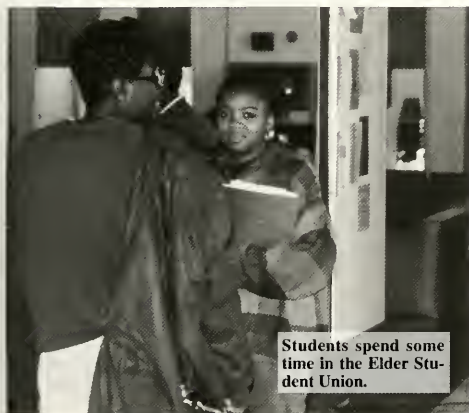
A guest speaker talks about health care.



Tasha enjoys her cotton candy while studies for class.



Central students pose for the camera.



Students spend some time in the Elder Student Union.



Josh Davis works it out on the exercise bike.



"I'm proud to be an Eagle."



NCCU Women's basketball player enjoys herself at an Eagle football game.

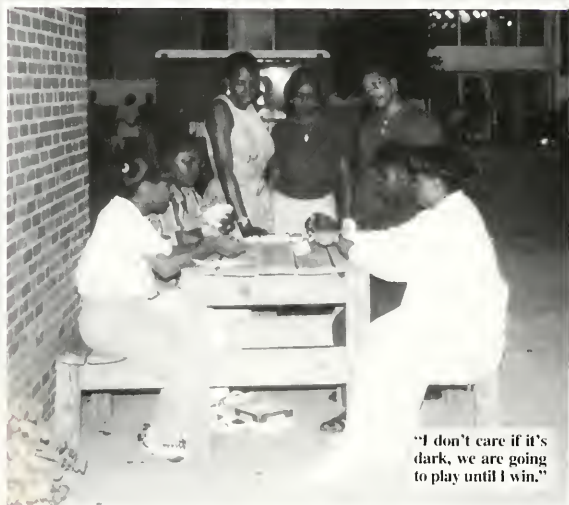




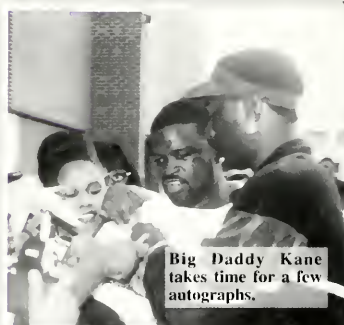
"Is it that funny, Nikki?"



NCCU student makes his opinion clear.



"I don't care if it's dark, we are going to play until I win."



Big Daddy Kane takes time for a few autographs.



Some NCCU students take a bite out of crime.



Campus police and Reliable hard at work.



# A Glimpse into the Life of an Eagle



The 1994-95 school  
year has been filled  
with many different  
activities.



*The Eagle's Life is Not an Easy One.*



Jazz personality Eve  
Cornelius serenades stu-  
dents.





Academics are important to an NCCU student.



One NCCU student enjoys Shaw Food Services.

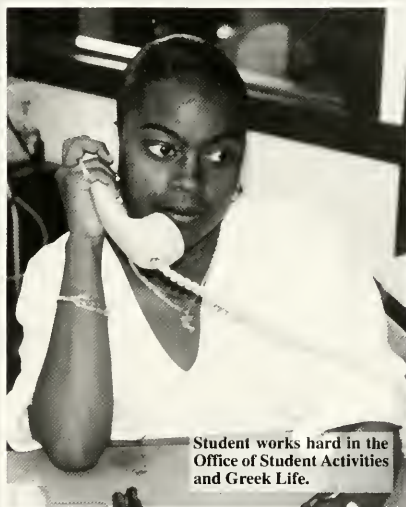




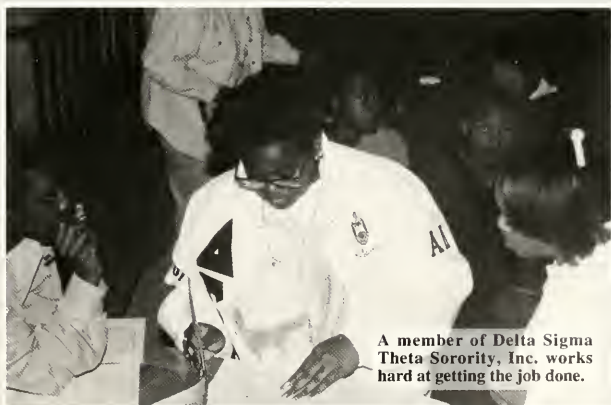
Students pause in front of the Student Union.



These hard workers in our Student Union stop for a picture.



Student works hard in the Office of Student Activities and Greek Life.



A member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. works hard at getting the job done.





These Eagles are showing off their talent for the crowd.



This food is good!



They've got that Eagle Pride.



The band plays sweet sounds for all to enjoy.



"What time does this class end?"



Looking good for the weekend.



The Eagle is a talented bird.

When I was young I felt so small  
Frightened for the world was tall  
And even grasses seemed to me  
A forest of immensity.  
Until I learned that I could grow,  
A glance would leave them far below.  
Spanning a tree's height with my eye,  
Suddenly I soared as high,  
And fixing on a star I grew,  
I pushed my head against the blue!  
Still, like a soaring eagle, I find  
Rapture to leave the grass behind.  
And sometimes standing in a crowd  
My lips are cool against a cloud.

Anne Morrow Lindebergh

College. It will probably be one of the most memorable times of our lives. These four years serve as a time to test our wings in the real world of deadlines, responsibilities, and decisions. It is also an opportunity to experience relationships on a different level in order to make friends that will last a lifetime. Most of us are fearful at first, unsure of what is expected, and uncomfortable in a sea of strangers. Yet, this is how we grow, adapting to a different world and fulfilling those great expectations. We will move on to become community leaders and set even higher expectations for ourselves. At North Carolina Central University we become true eagles, soaring above stereotypes and overcoming self-doubt. Our years as underclassmen are crucial. During this time we become more independent, more mature, and more focused on what the future has to offer. More importantly we become aware of what we have offer the future and seek to prepare our minds to accept the challenges that lie before us. Like Anne Morrow Lindbergh's soaring eagle we will leave the grass and fix our eyes on a star.

Students stand up and cheer as they support their eagle football team.





# Centering

# In On

# Underclassmen

A Look At Underclassmen At NCCU



"I feel that NCCU has made the transition from high school to college very comfortable. For one, the residence operation staff placed me with the former SGA president who has taught me a great deal about the university and what I need to do to be successful here."

"As an underclassmen at North Carolina Central University, I feel that the atmosphere here is very conducive to both the social and academic life of a college student."

"As an underclassman I run into a lot of people who say I don't have a voice. I want them all to know that I may not have the experience but I do have a voice and before I leave it shall be heard." LaTrell Watford

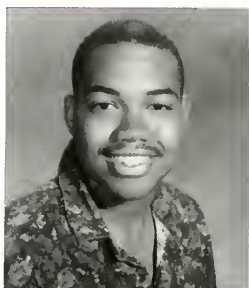
"Underclassmen are supposed to learn from the upperclassmen, but how can we when they won't take time out to share their knowledge with us. Knowledge is learning, while learning is sharing."

Kim Gordon

"Our molding years are the ones that are most important and here at NCCU is where I am being molded. As a freshman Central is preparing me for the greater thing in life. I am looking forward to the years to come."

Tressie McMillian, Freshman

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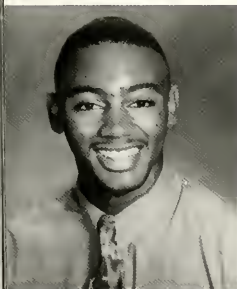




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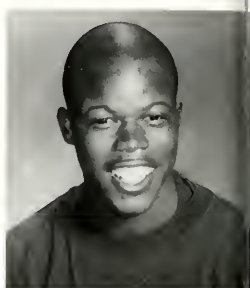
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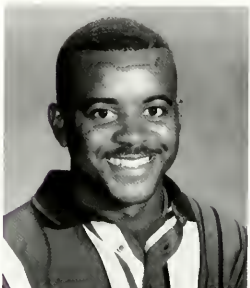
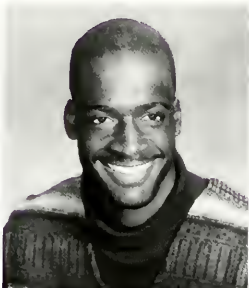
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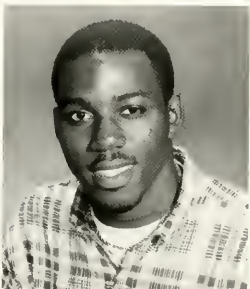


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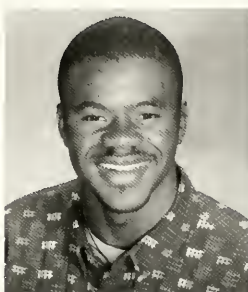
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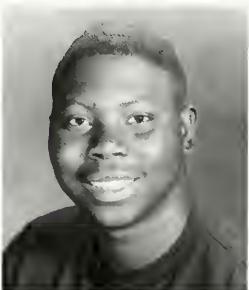
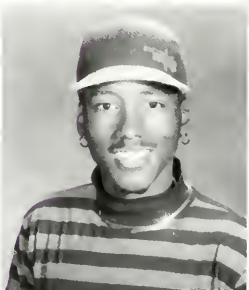
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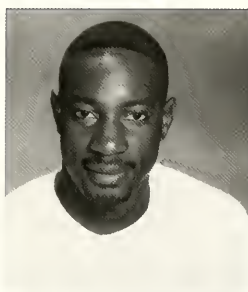


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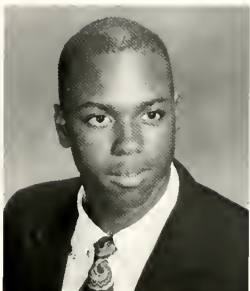


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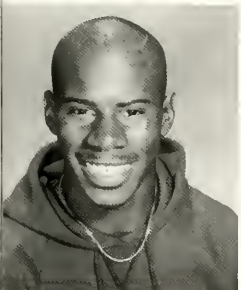




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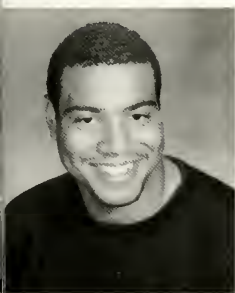


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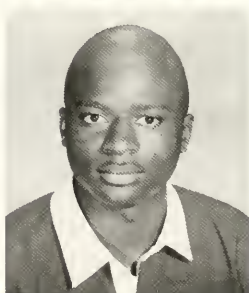


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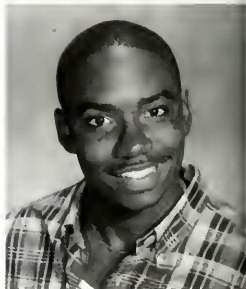
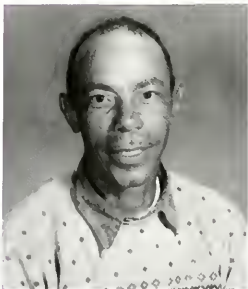
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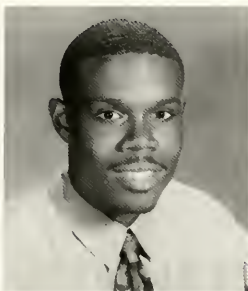
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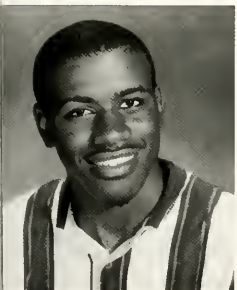




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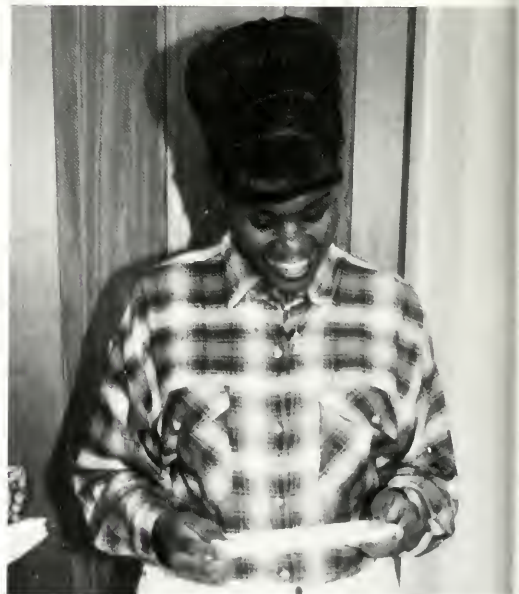
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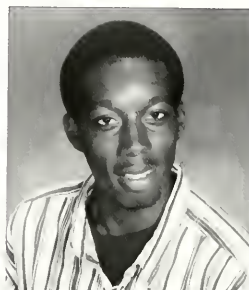
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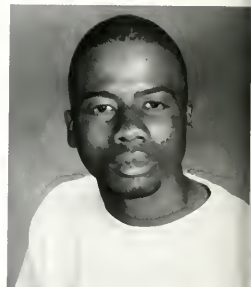
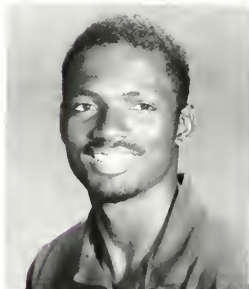
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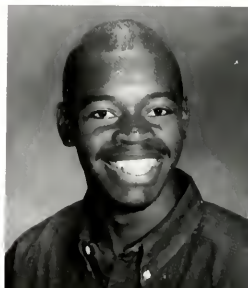
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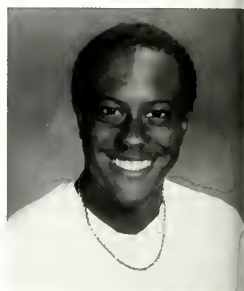
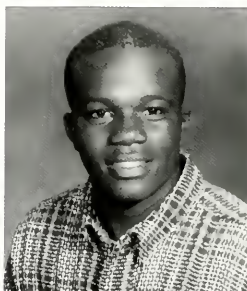


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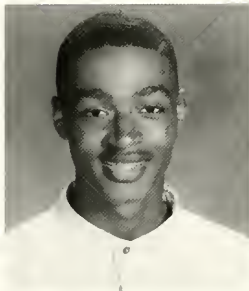


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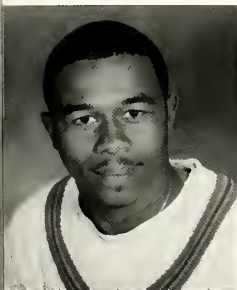




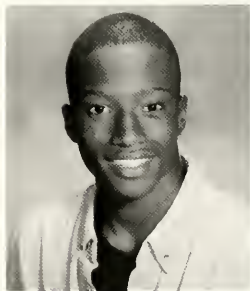
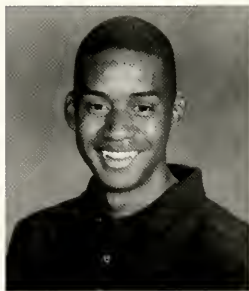
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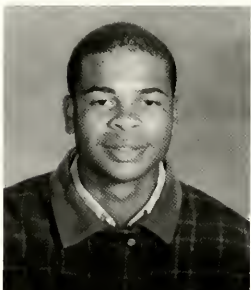




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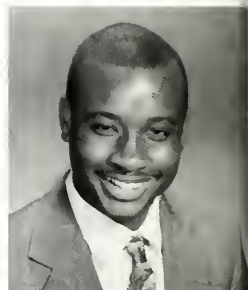
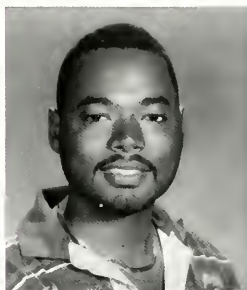


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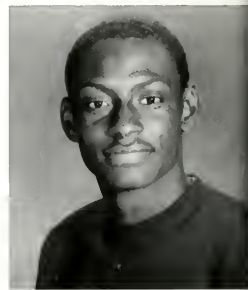
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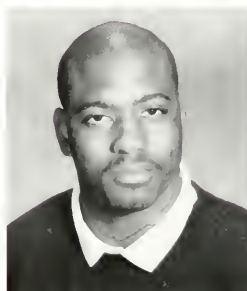
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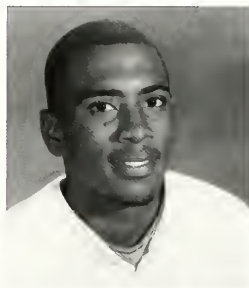


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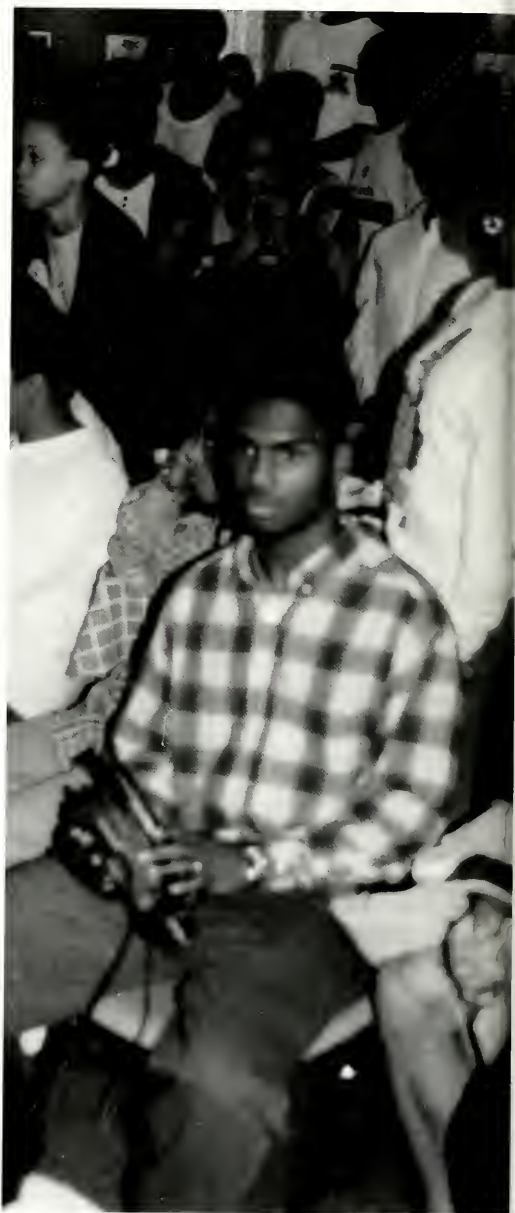
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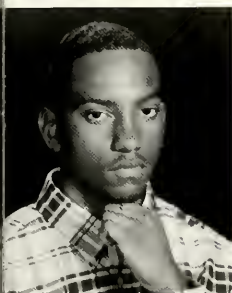


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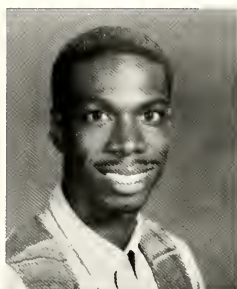


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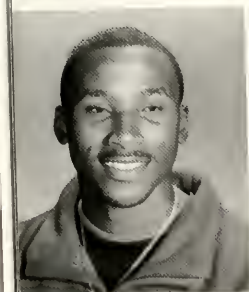
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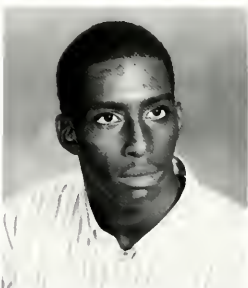
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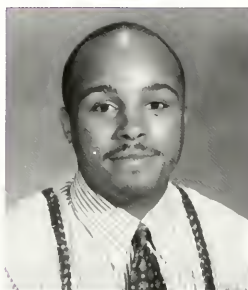
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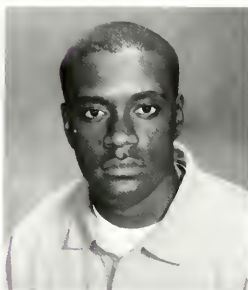
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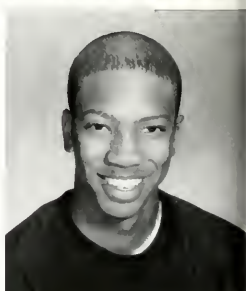
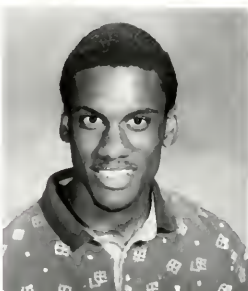
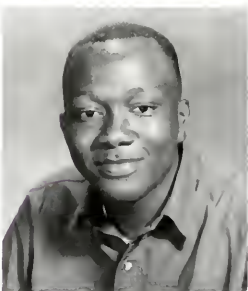
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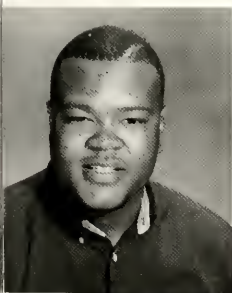


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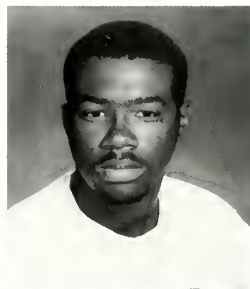


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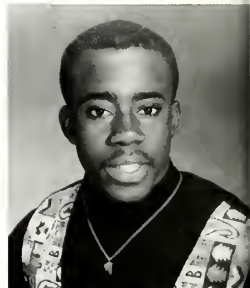
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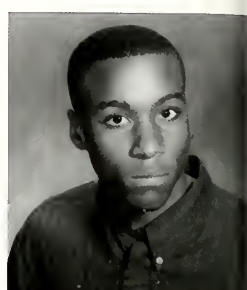
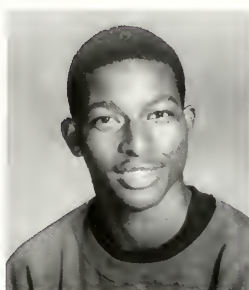


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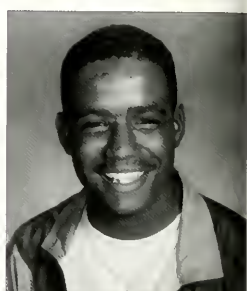


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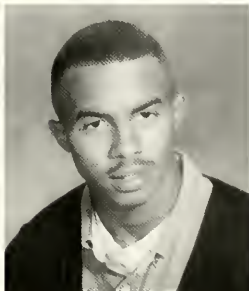


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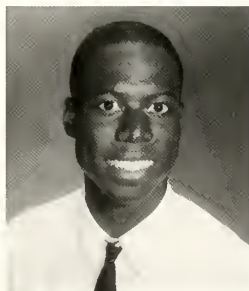
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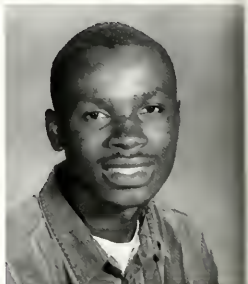
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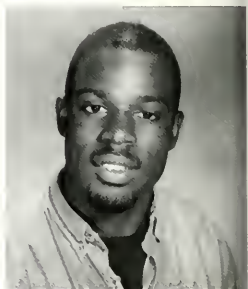
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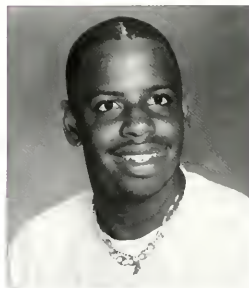
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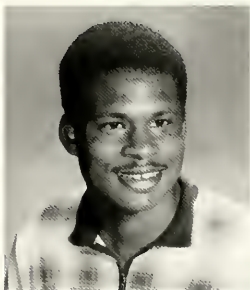


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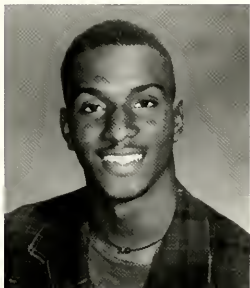


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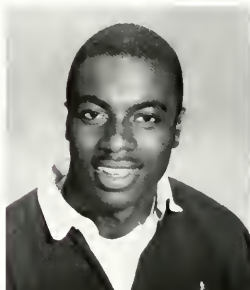
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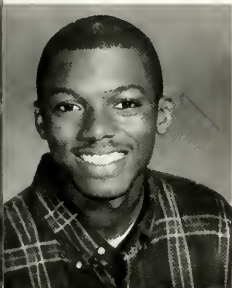


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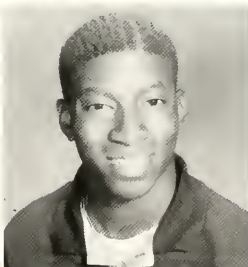
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Robert Young*



Since 1910, North Carolina Central University has remained consistent with its motto: Truth and Service. Service learning is the concept in which today's college students survive the daily routine of college life. There is life outside academia. Practical experience is life's best teacher. Students at NC Central can participate in over 55 registered student organizations. These organizations range from the Marching Sound Machine to the Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society. Whatever the organization may be, students can take an active role in being a dedicated member. During the 1994-95 academic year, community service was the major thrust. Over 700 students were actively involved in making a major contribution to the Durham community. Through such major contributions to the efforts of numerous service organizations the students at North Carolina Central University have shown their commitment and responsibility to the surrounding community.

A true eagle realizes its strength and capacity for flight. He or she also provides leadership and aid to those whose wings may not have matured in order to strengthen the overall eagle community. It is through service organizations that the eagles of NC Central University reach out and help those people or communities whose flight potential has not yet been reached. Truth and Service: it is not only a motto here at the home of the eagles. It is way of student life and a promise of commitment to the betterment of the Black community.

NCCU Eagles are always involved. One example is our Jr. Varsity Eagle Cheerleading Squad. The ladies are nothing, but smiles and cheers as they display their talents and keep up team spirit.





# Focusing In On Organizations

Taking A Look At Different Organizations

"As an active student at North Carolina Central University I have found that being involved allows you to meet new people and explore new horizons otherwise unforeseen."

"Promoting community service is what NCCU is about. They have made sure that students here are aware of that by having Community Service Fairs and by opening up the community service center to any and every student that is interested." LaTrell Watford

"I believe that when NCCU decided to make community service mandatory for students they made a very good decision. Students need to give back to communities in order to promote unity throughout society."

"People always running around talking about we care, but yet they never have time to prove what they say is correct. I have done a lot of talking, but now I am able to give back to the community that first gave to me through organizations that I am involved with."

"What I enjoy about community service here is despite the fact that I do not have a car there are opportunities on campus for me to do community service such as with the Student Ambassador program."



Student Government Association Executive Council

## Student Government Association



Student Government Public Relations Committee

The 1994-1995 Student Government Association has worked very hard to serve the needs of our school community. They have addressed the problems that students of NCCU face on a daily basis. SGA hosted one of the best Homecomings that this university has ever seen as well as sponsored Student Leadership Dinners. The SGA Executive Council was headed by Tonia Hicks. She is assisted by Michael Williams, Vice President; Monica Williams, Administrative Assistant; Cedric Gaither, Business Manager; Tanya Tillery, Office Manager; Leslie Boyd, Attorney General; Olga Lloyd, Cultural Affairs; Sekou Gargonnu, Social Affairs; Eric Mays, Alumni Affairs; Reginald Glenn, Campus Affairs; Raychelle Jones, Fundraising; Michelle Geathers, Community Service; Roslyn Allison, Public Relations; Kevin Jochems, Election Board; Sherrod Basnight, Security; Junelle Gist, Miss NC Central University; Roderick Allison, President, Senior Class; Cassandra Palmer, President, Junior Class; Melvin Ingram, President, Sophomore Class; and Tressie McMillan, President, Freshmen Class.





Student Govern-  
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Student Government  
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## Class of 1998



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## Class of 1996

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Steven Williams,  
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## Class of 1995



# ORGANIZ

# ATIONS

*National Association for the Advancement of Col-  
ored People*







## **Residential Life: Student Resident Assistants**

## C. A. Jones History Club





## Chemistry Club



# American Criminal Justice Association



# Graduate Student Association





## Fellowship of Advancing Athletes





## **Worship & Praise Inspiration Mass Choir**

# Tyrone Baynes Public Administration Club



# National Association of Black Accountants





## Veteran's Club



## A. Elder Student Union Program Board



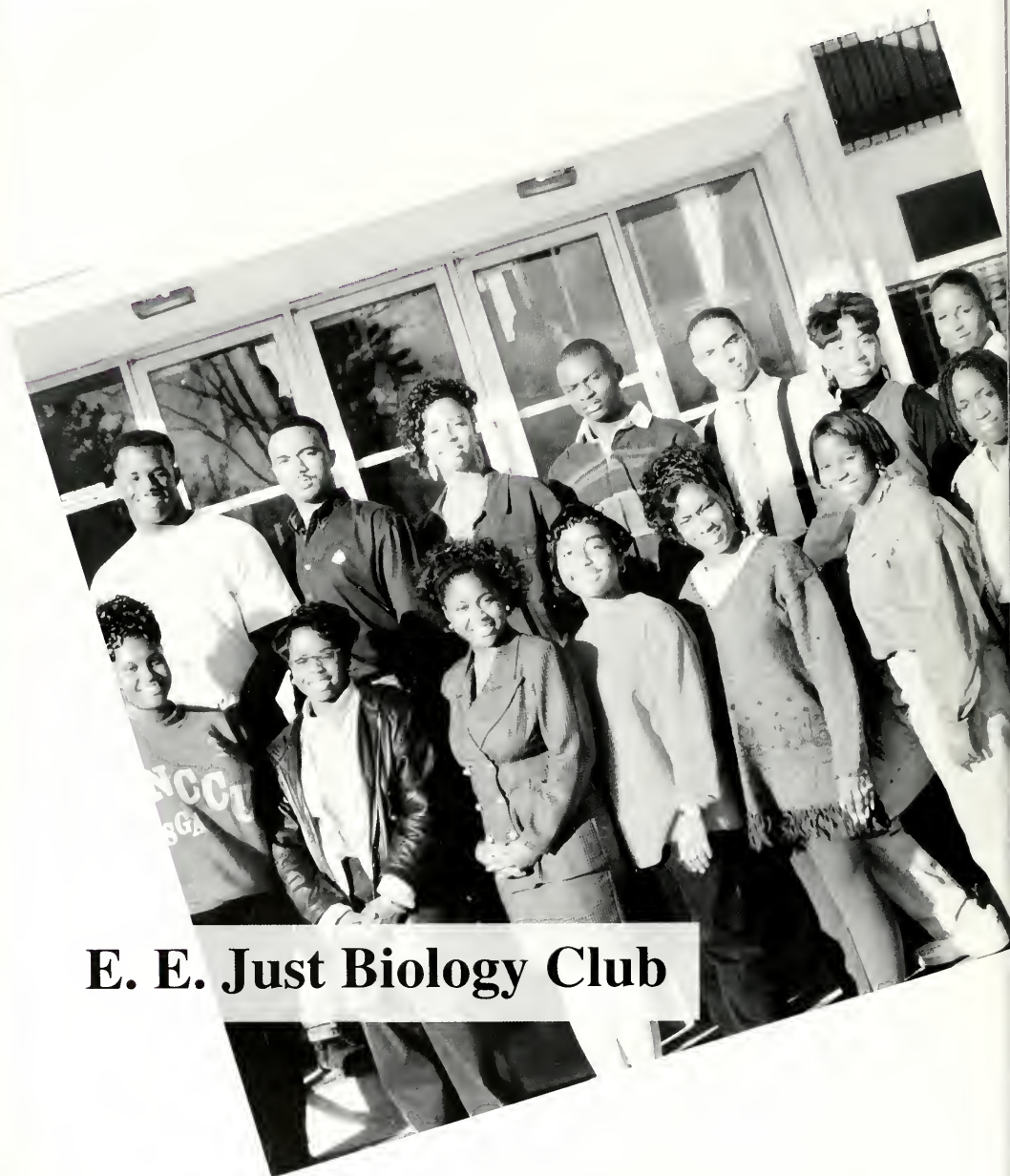
## Tau Beta Sigma Honorary Band Sorority







**Kappa Kappa Psi Honorary Band Fraternity**



## **E. E. Just Biology Club**



## Political Science Club



# Wesley Williams Dance Ensemble



## Bon Vivant Fashion Society





## NCCU Dance Ensemble





## NCCU Jazz Ensemble

Ayolyma African American Dance Company





## Our Eagle Family





## Our Future Eagle Family



## Eagle Yearbook

As I reflect at the completion of our 1995 Eagle Yearbook, I remember the hard work and long hours that were put into completing this book. Although at times it was extremely difficult, I feel that the 1995 Yearbook is a reflection of our entire NCCU community. Every student here at North Carolina Central University should be able to personally identify with or recall an event or university organization displayed on these pages. At this time, I would like to personally thank all those people that helped in the production of the 1995 Eagle Yearbook. The list begins with Johnette Atkinson, Bryan Mills, Jamaïne Wilson, Christie Stancil, Jimmy Monroe, and Latrell Watford. Finally, there is Dietrich Morrison, who worked hard to see this job completed. But most importantly, I would like to thank God, because he was the real editor-in-chief of this 1995 Eagle Yearbook.

Keisha Roberson, Editor





Campus Greek Life; it is a conglomerate of community service, social mixing, and most importantly, the spirit of brotherhood and sisterhood. This year this spirit could be seen through the crowd pleasing stepping of campus fraternities and sororities, through commitment to the community as seen in community services such as day-care volunteering, and through social mixers like formal and semi-formal balls and informal parties. This year Greek Life at North Carolina Central University can be marked by sorority sisters singing in the circle of sisterhood out on the yard, fraternity brothers proclaiming their dedication to their fraternity in the early morning hours on their plot, fundraising through doughnut sales, parties and car washes, rushes that signify the first step to a lifetime of commitment to community service and the doctrines of fraternities and sororities, and the coming out of new fraternity and sorority members. North Carolina Central University fraternities and sororities are an important aspect of campus life. They serve as a model of brotherhood and sisterhood for all our African American brothers and sisters Greek and Non-greek.

This display represents the four Fraternities and Sororities that composed the National Pan-Hellenic Council. Alpha Kappa Alpha, Delta Sigma Theta, Zeta Phi Beta, Sigma Gamma Rho, Alpha Phi Alpha, Kappa Alpha Psi, Phi Beta Sigma, and Omega Psi Phi.







# THE PLEDGE:

1995

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A Look at Greek Life at NCCU

"Being a member a fraternity is demanding and challenging. You must be committed to the cause. There are many issues facing African-Americans and our fraternities must address these concerns. The community awaits our arrival," said Keith Hillsman, senior and a member of Kappa Alpha Psi.

"We have waited to long. The time is now that we begin to give back to our community. Being a member of Delta Sigma Theta has convinced me that there is a great need for us all to address the concerns of African-Americans," said Amy Davies, senior and President of the Pan-Hellenic Council.

"Let me disspeled the myth, fraternities and sororites do more than just step. We give support to all mankind through service and scholarship. Most of all, our love for each other allows us all to give back," said Rodney Sneed, a senior and member of Phi Beta Sigma.

"The thrust of brotherhood exist only in strength and unity, therefore being a member of Alpha Phi Alpha has allowed me to give back through an organization that is dedicated to African-Americans," said Ray Cooke, senior.

"Life is truly a serious matter; therefore, it is ideal to say that Alpha Kappa Alpha addresses the needs of African-American women. Our daily involvement with the community allows us to find out the needs of the community. It takes an entire village to raise a child," said Nikki Jones, junior.

# The Pan-Hellenic Council



The Pan-Hellenic  
Council 1994-95



"United We  
Stand"



*Mr. and Ms. Pan-Hellenic Council  
Nikki Jones and Steven Williams*

The National Pan-Hellenic Council, Incorporated was organized in 1930 on the campus of Howard University, located in Washington, D.C. The idea of the council was initiated by Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. in 1921. The council's purpose is to ensure that all inter-collegiate African American Greek-lettered Fraternities/Sororities have unity in principles, thought, and mutual action.

The National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) is composed of these eight National Predominately African American Greek-lettered Organizations: Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., Phi Beta Sigma, Inc., Omega Psi Phi, Inc.

The NPHC was established at North Carolina Central University March 28, 1955. Since its inception, the council has made numerous contributions to the Durham and NCCU community. The Council's motto for 1994-95 was "Unity: The Scope of Our Existence". The council supports and embraces the needs of the African American community.

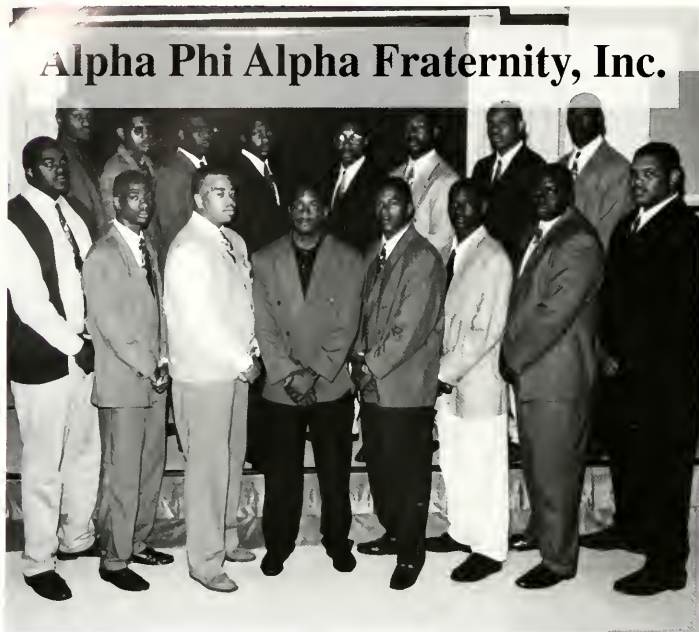
Members of the council meet to discuss important issues.

The council meets with its advisor, Dietrich Morrison.





## Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.



What wears black and gold and steps real well? An Alpha from NCCU.

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity is the first black intercollegiate greek-lettered organization. This fraternity was founded on December 4, 1906 at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY. The main purpose of Alpha Phi Alpha is to achieve scholarship, provide deeds, and love all mankind.

The Gamma Beta chapter began on May 23, 1941. These men participate in a variety of community service activities in the Durham area. They are active with the John Avery Boys Club and tutorial programs at area high and middle schools. They also take part in national programs sponsored by their fraternity.

The Gamma Beta chapter, known locally and nationally for its fancy footwork, appeared on STOMP, a nationally televised stepshow. In addition to STOMP, they placed second in Alpha Phi Alpha's national championship.

One illustrious member of this fraternity is our very own — Chancellor Julius Chambers.

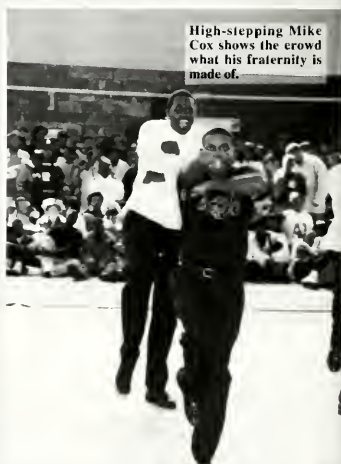
Senior Ray Cook express his love for his fraternity.



The Gamma Beta Chapter president rides along side Ms. Alpha Phi Alpha-Nikki Yelverton.



High-stepping Mike Cox shows the crowd what his fraternity is made of.



Alpha Kappa Alpha, Incorporated was founded on the campus of Howard University on January 15, 1908. The sixteen founding women had the chief aim of service to all mankind. In addition to stepping and providing social activities, this sorority is concerned about the community and the world at large. Their six target areas are: education, health, economics, art, world community, and the Black family.

The Alpha Chi chapter of AKA was established on NCCU's campus in 1932. These ladies implement the six target areas through diligent service in a number of ways. They provide food and clothing for a homeless shelter, tutor at the John Avery Boys and Girls Club, and assist teachers at Shepard Middle School. On campus, they hold book drives, seminars on an array of issues, and the ever-popular Mr. Swimsuit contest.

For the ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha, this is truly a serious matter!



*Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated*



The ladies of AKA pause for the camera.



The Alpha Kappa Alpha organizational queens: Sakesha Cast on, Kimyada Walls, and Karen Taylor



True Sisterhood

The Ladies  
of

# D S T

## *Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated*



Illustrious ladies of the Alpha Lambda Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc., pattern themselves in the light of public service. The light was lit by their twenty-two founders at Howard University on January 13, 1913. This chapter of the sorority was founded on North Carolina Central University's campus in 1941. The public motto of the ladies of crimson and cream is, "Intelligence is the torch of wisdom". In the community, the Alpha Lambda Chapter focuses on three major projects which include; Genesis Homeless Shelter Youth Mentor Program, Hartwood Rest Home for the elderly, and funding a scholarship to a community high school student.

In addition the community activities, the sorority, which was founded on christian principles, is quite active on campus. You can often find these ladies beautifying the sloping hills and verdant green and closely working with the Pan-Hellenic Council.



Ms. Delta Sigma  
Theta- Amy Davies



The ladies of DST  
show off their step-  
ping skills.



The first men's Greek letter social organization to be organized on a Black college campus was Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. Founded at Howard University in Washington, D.C. on November 17, 1911, the fraternity boasts over 325 chapters and 110,000 members. The founders: Oscar J. Cooper, Ernest E. Just, Frank Love, and Frank Coleman, began this organization on the basis of four cardinal principles; Manhood, Scholarship, Perversance, and Uplift.

The Omega's motto is, "Friendship is essential to the soul". They sport the colors of royalty; royal purple and old gold.



## Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated

# PHI BETA SIGMA 1914



Fraternity Members enjoy step-show with the Zetas.



Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated was founded on the campus of Howard University on January 9, 1914, by three illustrious men. These men were A. Langston Taylor, Charles I. Brown, and Leonard F. Morse. The fraternity strides on its motto: Culture for Service and Service for Humanity. Phi Beta Sigma gave birth to Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated. This birth created the only true brother and sister organization in the fraternal system. The fraternity supports its national programs and was the first fraternity to establish the small business association. Gamma Gamma Chapter was founded at NC Central in 1949.

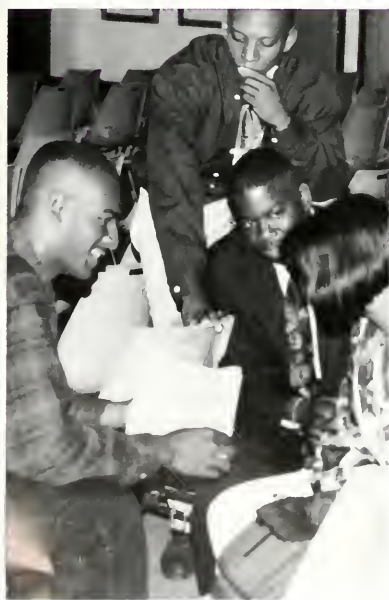
# Zeta Phi Beta 1920

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated was founded on the campus of Howard University on January 16, 1920. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority believes in promoting the cause of education, encouraging high standards of scholarship, uplifting worthwhile projects on college campuses, and within the community, fostering the spirit of sisterhood, and interjecting the idea of Finer Womanhood. The Gamma Gamma Chapter is committed to providing programs that enhance and encourage the college student at NC Central.





# Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated



Kappa Alpha Psi was founded at Indiana University on January 5, 1911. The purpose of Kappa Alpha Psi is "to rendered service to all mankind; to promote brotherhood; and to engage in inductive reasoning." The Alpha Kappa Chapter was founded on June 1, 1931 on the campus of North Carolina Central University. There are currently 27 active members at NCCU. These gentlemen have provided NCCU with numerous activities and programs. One of their major programs is the "NC Adopt-a-Highway Program." Each month these men clean a stretch of Highway 55, located near campus.

# Brotherhood and Sisterhood



Members of A  
Phi A and DST

Members of A  
Phi A and AKA

Pan-Hellenic  
Council Meeting



# Homecoming Stepshow 1994



Kappa Kappa  
Psi Fraternity,  
Inc.

Zeta Phi Beta  
Sorority, Inc.



Kappa Alpha Psi  
Beta Fraternity,  
Inc.





Alpha Phi Alpha  
Fraternity, Inc.

Alpha Kappa  
Alpha Sorority,  
Inc.

Delta Sigma  
Theta Sorority,  
Inc.



Homecoming is a week of spectacular events put together for the students enjoyment. The Annual North Carolina Central University Homecoming Stepshow is one of the highlights of this week. This year, it has continued to uphold its reputation of being "all that".

Represented Greeks came out to step with extravagance at McDougald Gymnasium, showing style and pizzazz. The represented sororities and fraternities included Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Kappa Kappa Psi Fraternity, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity from North Carolina A&T, and Zeta Phi Beta Sorority from Elon College.

These young men and women showed off their hard work and dedication through stunning performances which kept the audience on its feet. The audience left the gymnasium satisfied and anticipating next year's homecoming.



I look beyond the sloping hills  
that stretch of verdant green,  
and above the beauty and coal serenity  
I see my future gleam.

Others taunt me for my vision  
They say it's much to far.  
But deep within I know  
I'm prepared to catch my morning star.

So taking the inviting blue  
I leave the nest, my home,  
to spread my wings  
and brow that air  
where dreamers dare to roam.

And If by chance that luscious blue  
torn stormy and I cannot see.  
I'll feel my way by the warmth of my star  
And fly on to make my own destiny.

Christie Stancil



Senior Kip Ryan and John Ray reminisce in  
Annie Day Shepard Dormitory.

# EAGLES

## Take

## New Flight



*A Look At The Class of 1995*

"After all the things that NCCU has given me, I am now ready to give back to my Alma Mater."

"I feel that my years here at North Carolina Central University have prepared me for success in the corporate world."

"It's over ! I'm very happy that my years here are coming to a close and I'm ready to begin a new chapter in my life."

"I have learned so much both inside the classroom as well as my experiences here at this institution."

"My years here at North Carolina Central University have been fulfilling and very rewarding."



Sherry Adams  
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English



Kimberly Allen  
Management

Roderick Allison  
Political Science



Cicely Alston  
Criminal Justice

Sharon Alston  
Music Education



Van Alston  
Visual Communications

Bridgette Anthony  
Business Administration





Clarice Apra  
Foods/Nutrition



Wannetta Atkinson  
Nursing



Wendy Brandy  
Political Science



Bianca Barnes  
English



Christa Barnes  
Business-CIS



Colonda Barnes  
English



Dawn Barnes



Frederick Barnes  
Criminal Justice



Amanda Basnight  
History



Brian Battle  
Criminal Justice



Wayne Batts  
Biology



Percival Baynes  
History



Ketisha Bazemore  
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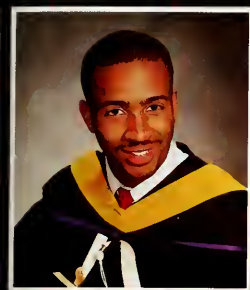


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Simone Boone  
Mathematics



Sybil Bowick  
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Takisha Boyd  
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Eric Bracy  
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Valerie Bracy  
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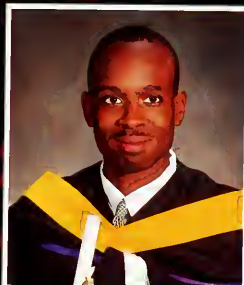
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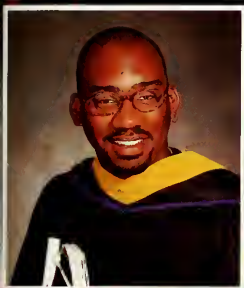
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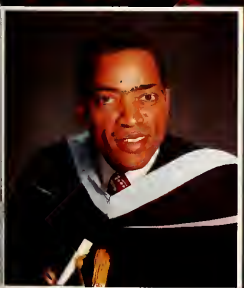
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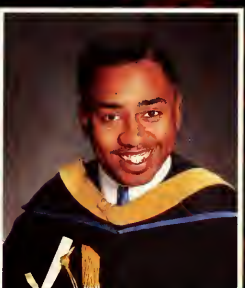
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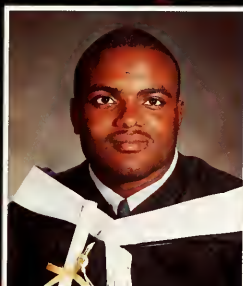
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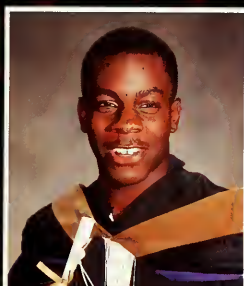




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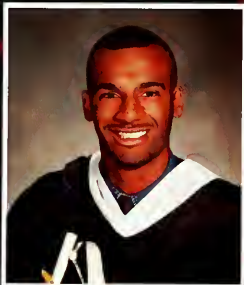


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Damalia Jackson  
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Nona Johnson  
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Sharon Johnson  
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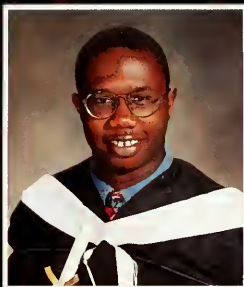


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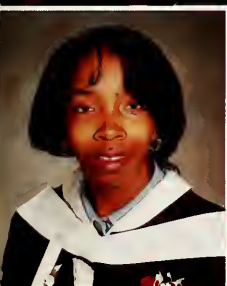
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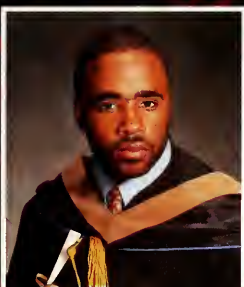
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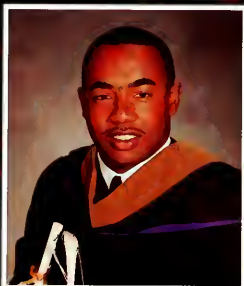
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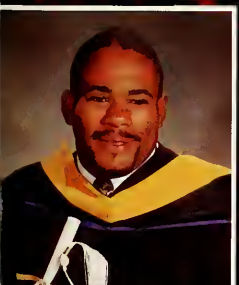
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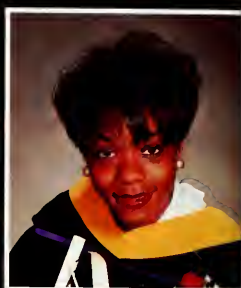


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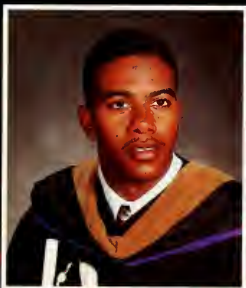
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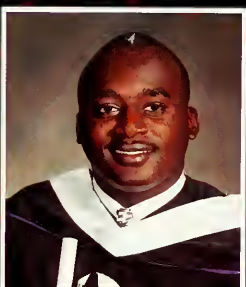
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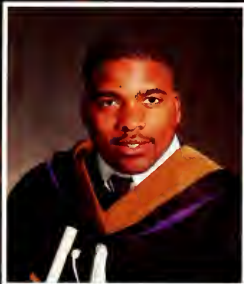
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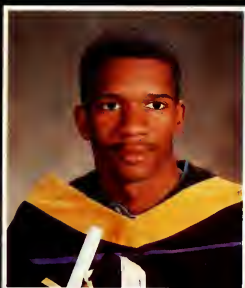
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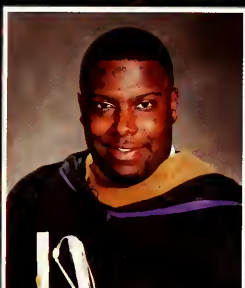
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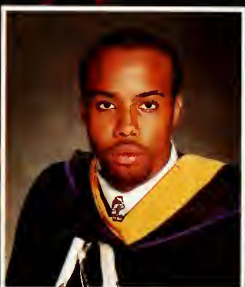
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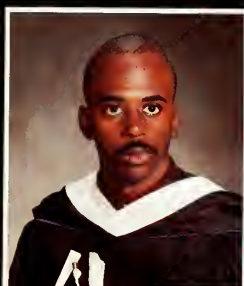




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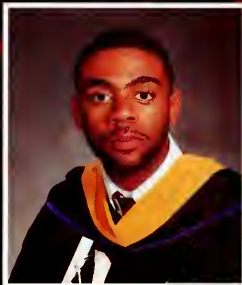
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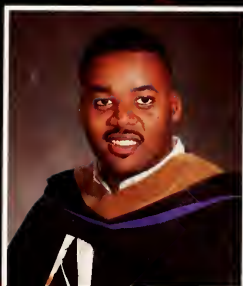
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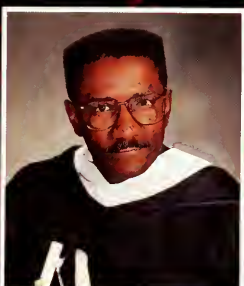
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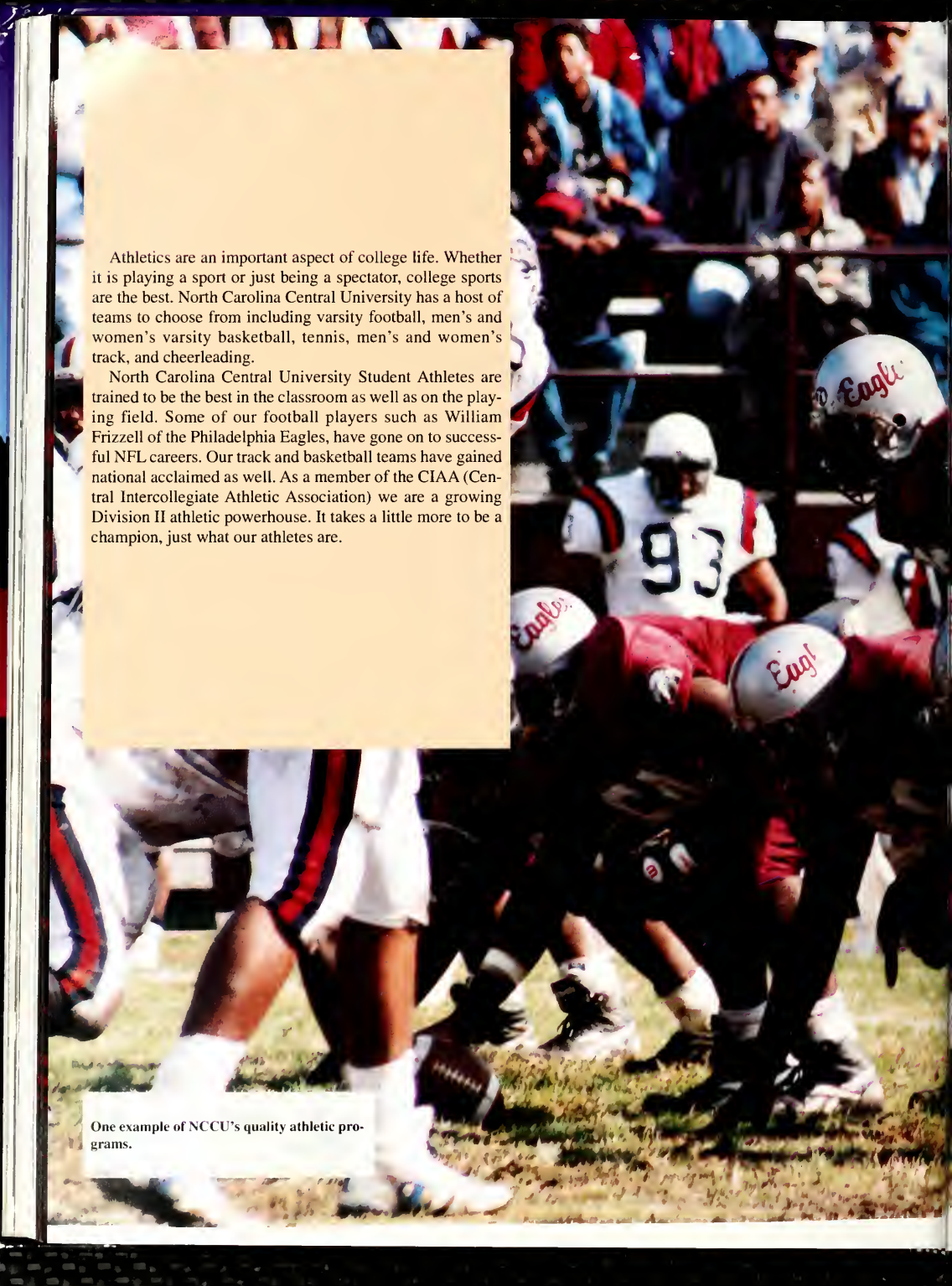


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Athletics are an important aspect of college life. Whether it is playing a sport or just being a spectator, college sports are the best. North Carolina Central University has a host of teams to choose from including varsity football, men's and women's varsity basketball, tennis, men's and women's track, and cheerleading.

North Carolina Central University Student Athletes are trained to be the best in the classroom as well as on the playing field. Some of our football players such as William Frizzell of the Philadelphia Eagles, have gone on to successful NFL careers. Our track and basketball teams have gained national acclaim as well. As a member of the CIAA (Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association) we are a growing Division II athletic powerhouse. It takes a little more to be a champion, just what our athletes are.

One example of NCCU's quality athletic programs.



# Centering

# In On

# Athletics

*A Look At NCCU's Finest*

"A true Athlete cherishes academics as well as sportsmanship." Kipchoge Ryan, Senior

"You do not watch the North Carolina Central University basketball team play sitting down." Allena Simpson, Sophomore

"North Carolina Central University's sports are just another way of saying EAGLE PRIDE." Bryan Mills, Freshmen

"The Lady Eagle basketball team is all about hard work." Quiana Quarles, Freshmen

"Not only do our athletic teams play together here at NCCU, but they are also one big family that works very hard." Keisha Roberson, Sophomore





Eagles Head Coach Larry Little observes play.



Charles Patterson #29 takes a breather on the bench.

## Eagle Showdown



Eagles Quarterback Brad McAdams aims to score TD.



n '94



Nick Brannon #4 ponders  
before next play.

Eagle #87 Mark Sanders follows block to score Touch-down.



## EAGLES SCOREBOARD

Opponent	Score
NC A & T	9-38 L
*Norfolk State	24-26 L
*Virginia State	10-13 L
Bethune-Cookman	24-5 W
*Elizabeth City	38-26 W
*Fayetteville State	23-14 W
Howard University	19-35 L
*Winston-Salem State	6-21 L
*Livingstone	34-13 W
*Johnson C. Smith	22-21 W
*Virginia Union	14-6 W

Overall Record 6-5-0

\*Denotes CIAA Conference Teams



# Eagles Take Charge

## Soaring Above the Competition

"Are you ready for some football?" That famous question asked on Monday night was also asked at the beginning of the 1994 Eagle football season. The Eagles, flying high from a winning season last year, were looking forward to showing off their stuff. Coach Larry Little and the boys took on powerhouses like North Carolina A&T, Virginia State, and Howard.

Yet, the season was overcast most by the sudden loss of the team's co-captain and starter, Alphonza Carpenter, Jr.

There were some thrillers as well as heartbreaking losses to Norfolk State, and Winston Salem State. But the team still held their heads high. This football season was truly a team effort. The season was filled with spectacular plays from all players including Charlie Patterson, Sam Haney, Moses Ware, and Antoine Calloway.

So ... were we ready for some football?

YES, we were!



The Eagle football team huddle to discuss strategies.



Eagle #28 Nat Hart strives for the goal marker.



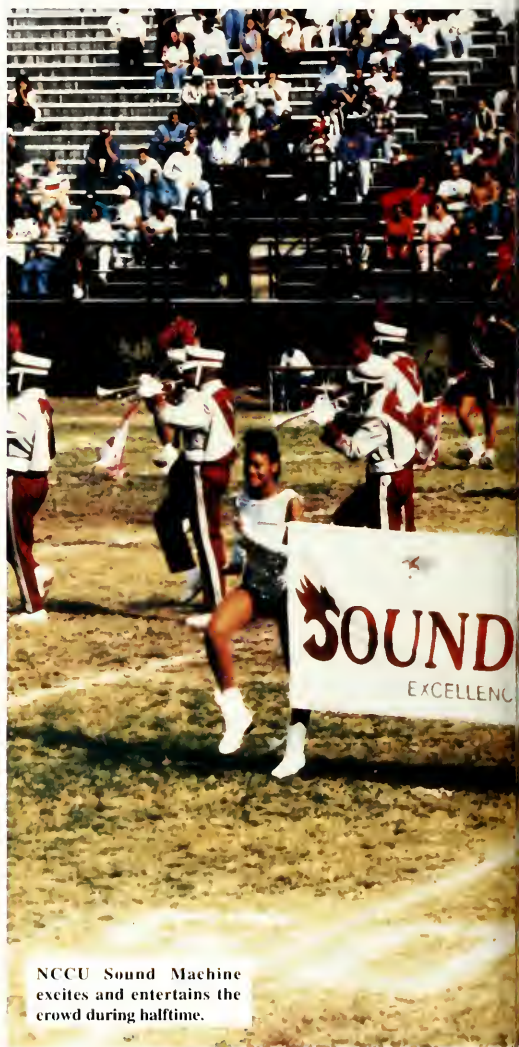
# The Sound EAGLE



Drum Major, Torrey Hines conducts the marching band.



The Sound Machine breaks it down for the crowd.



NCCU Sound Machine excites and entertains the crowd during halftime.



# MACHINE FUNK



Drum Major  
Kenny: Are  
you Ready?



NCCU Dance  
Girls show off  
their skills.





## ALUMNI BAND





# THE SOUND MACHINE IN REVIEW





North Carolina Central University's Junior Varsity Cheerleaders show off for their fans.



EAGLE PRIDE !

## CHEER 95

The hardest working women in the CIAA that encourage our other athletes to be the outstanding competitors that they are must be the ladies of "Champagne". These athletes that practice on a daily basis for three to four hours, cheers, chants, stunts, etc. are the backbone of the Eagle Funk, Pride, and Spirit which enables us to continue our rich athletic tradition. Advisor and coach Ms. LuAnn Harris states, "these athletes have given absolute 100% and I would cut off my right arm for them."







Eagle-Aggie Classic is where our cheerleaders made their debut.

NCCU Junior Varsity Squad struts onto the O'Kelly Riddick Stadium.



Getting mentally prepared while in line formation.



Miss NCCU truly exemplifies the Eagle Spirit.



Get On The Eagle Train and Ride, Ride, Ride ...



Pumping us up before the big game.





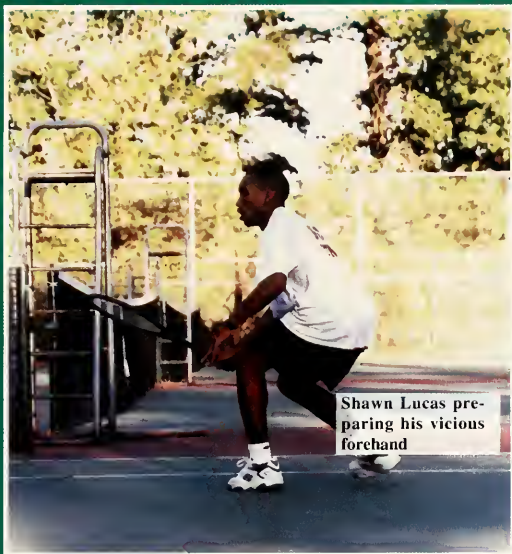
## Over The Net!



Louis Perkins returns for another great season.



1994-1995 North Carolina Central University Tennis Team



Shawn Lucas preparing his vicious forehand



Malcolm Greene patiently waits for the next match.

The majority of the Men's Eagle Tennis Team returned to continue their quest for the CIAA title. They added several top players from around the country to assist them in their efforts. Complete with killer backhands, ferocious forehands, and untamed serves, the Eagle tennis team could not be stopped. New and improved and better than ever are what many have ventured to say about this 1994-95 team. Following the direction of Coach D.C. Lawson and Coach Robbins, this team had all the equipment it needed for a very productive and successful year. In the 1994-95 year the Men's Eagle Tennis Team was the team to beat.



# NCCU Eagle



**First row, left to right:** Andre Jordan, Omar Vaughan, Pat Fields, Corey Holland, Kenny Curtis.

**Second row, left to right:** Charles L. Williams, Domica Thomas, Troy Boyer, Vince Scott, Anthony Gay,

Joey Bankins, Ron Woodard. **Third row, left to right:** Greg Jackson, LeVelle Moton, Jonathan Evans,

Stacy Robinson, Keith Slade, Ralph E. Traynham. **Not pictured:** Lorenzo Wilkins, Greg McNeill.



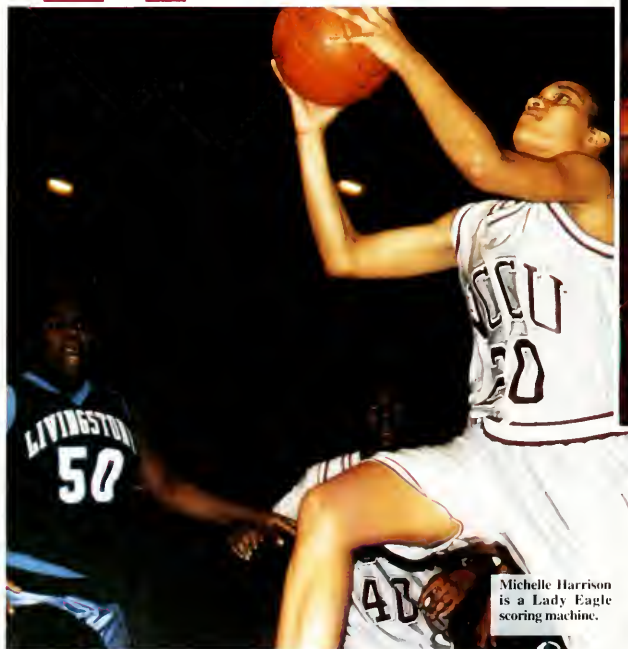
# Basketball 1994-1995



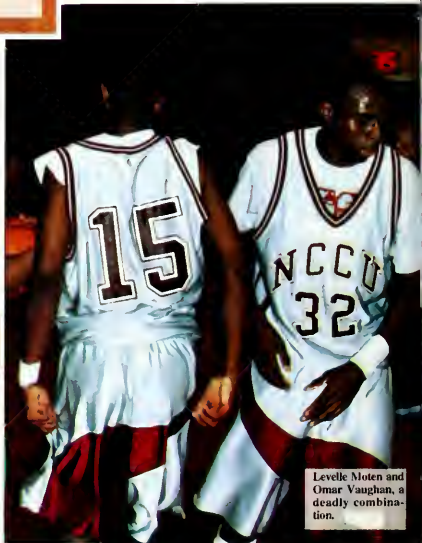
**First row, left to right:** Angie Stallings, Latisha Martin, Kristy Daughtry, Michelle Harrison, Stacey Cathcart, Arkisha Hayes. **Second row, left to right:** Jackie Pinnix, Tonya Mattox, Kartera Adkins, Allison Forrest, Simoneque Shearin, Barry Street. **Third row, left to right:** Quiana Quarles, Erika Bryant, Monica Starks, Narviaria "Slim" Evans, Samine Jernigan.



Joey Bankins  
spurs the Eagle  
offense.



Michelle Harrison  
is a Lady Eagle  
scoring machine.



Levelle Moten and  
Omar Vaughan, a  
deadly combina-  
tion.



Michelle Harrison is the team's leader.



Levell Moten displays his flawless foul shot form.





## Doing it Up At NCCU

The Lady Eagle Volleyball Team took the CIAA by storm. With their effective spikes, sets, digs, and saves the 1994-95 team became a deadly weapon to be reckoned with. Although often not given the attention and recognition they deserve, the Eagle volleyball team continued to play hard, showing the world that they possessed true Eagle Pride. The Eagles nest for this year season took place in the McDougald-McClendon Gymnasium. While in the nest, the eagle prevailed.



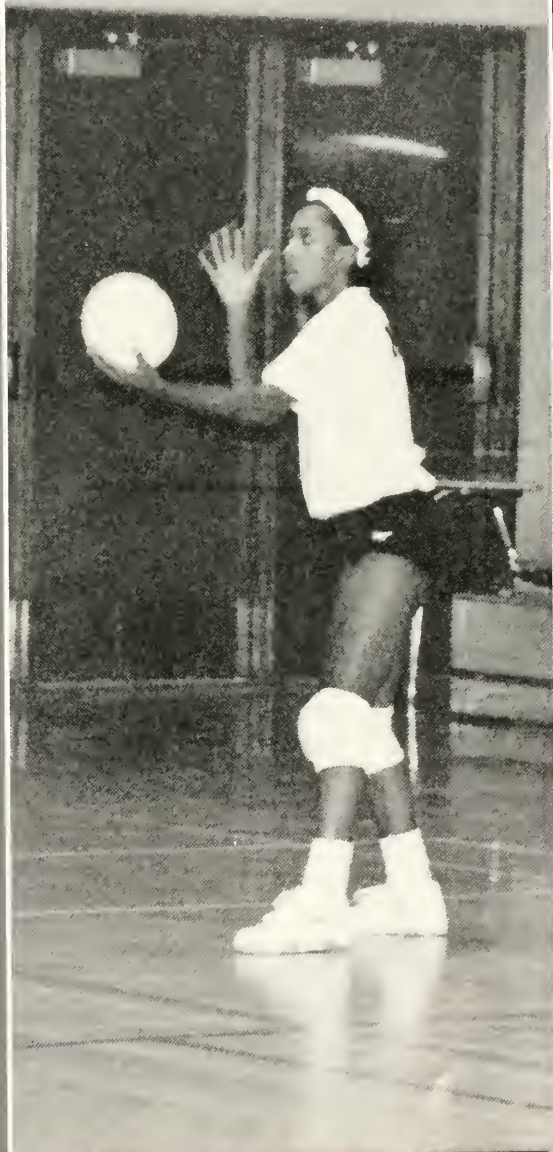
Team member spikes the ball.



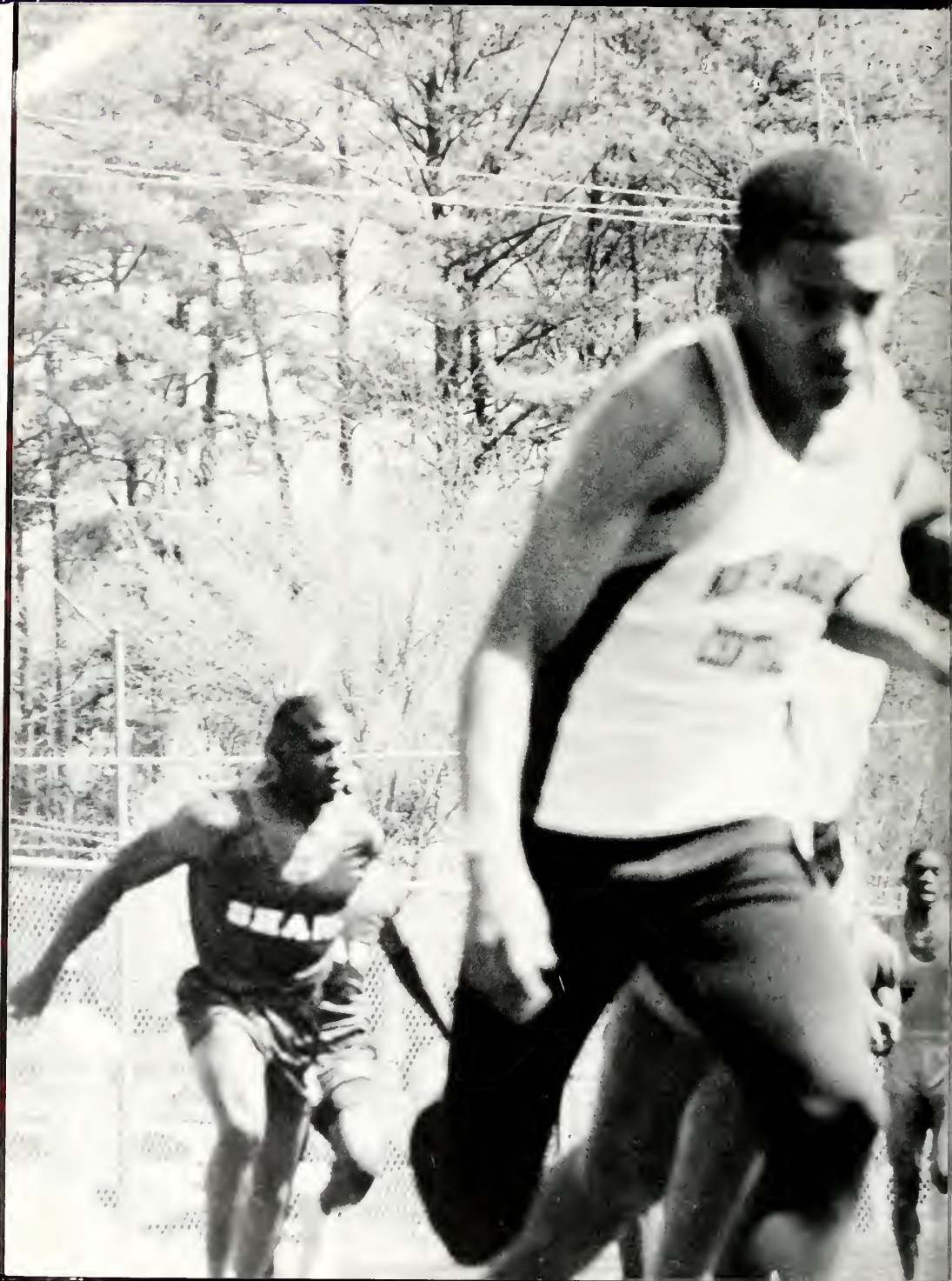
NCCU Volleyball team definitely has control of the ball.

## ADVANTAGE

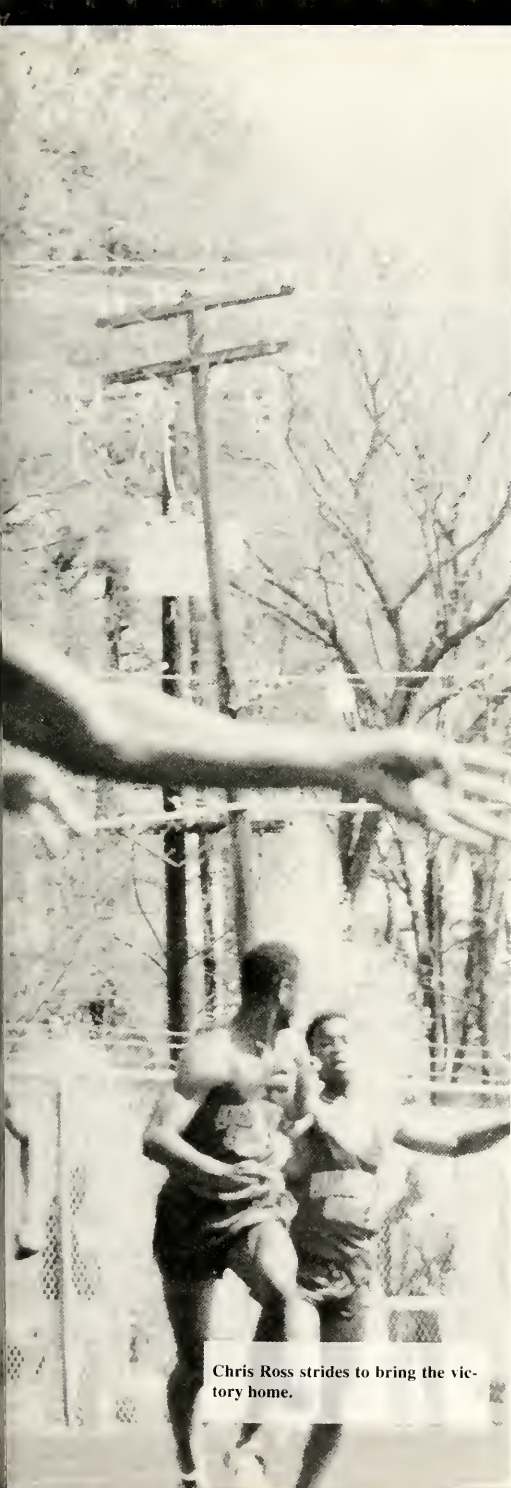
Server aims to score more points.











# **Racing Against Time NC Central Takes Charge**

The adrenaline is pumping, the senses are alert and the muscles are pumped and ready to strike out at the first crack of the gun. The thrill of the race; that is what track is all about and who should know this better than North Carolina Central University's Track runners. These athletes prepare for victory by practicing strenuously 2-3 hours daily. Unlike most athletes, Eagle track runners run through three seasons: cross-country, indoor track and outdoor track. They prepare for sprints such as the 200m., field events like the triple jump and distance runs, such as the 1600m run. Our North Carolina Central University track runners attain success through strength, dedication and tremendous talent.

## **SCOREBOARD**

NCCU Cross Country  
Meadowbrook Country Club

Women's Results

NCCU 23

Shaw 32

Men's Results

NCCU 23

Shaw 32

Forest Hills Park, NC

Women's Results

NCCU 27

FSU 40

ECSU 54

Men's Results

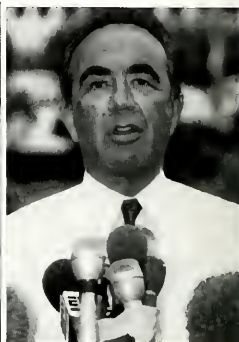
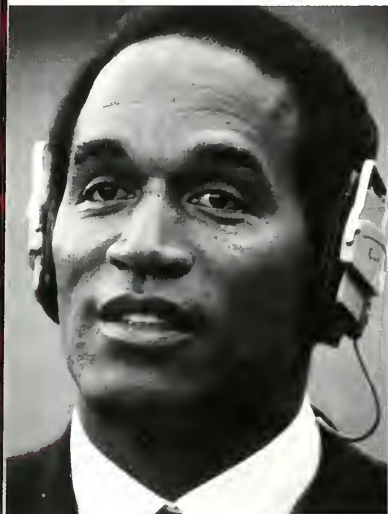
NCCU 27

FSU 33

ECSU 60

Chris Ross strides to bring the victory home.

# 1994 THE YEAR IN REVIEW



## BEN CHAVIS OUSTED BY THE NAACP



# THE CASE of the CENTURY

## SIMPSON VS THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA



**O. J. ENTERS**

**'NOT GUILTY'**

**PLEA**



Victims of the double murders: (a) Nicole Simpson, Wife of O. J. Simpson and (b) Ronald Goldman, a waiter and friend of Nicole.



Prosecutor Marcia Clark prepares for trial.

## THE PROSECUTOR



# THE REVIEW CONTINUES ...



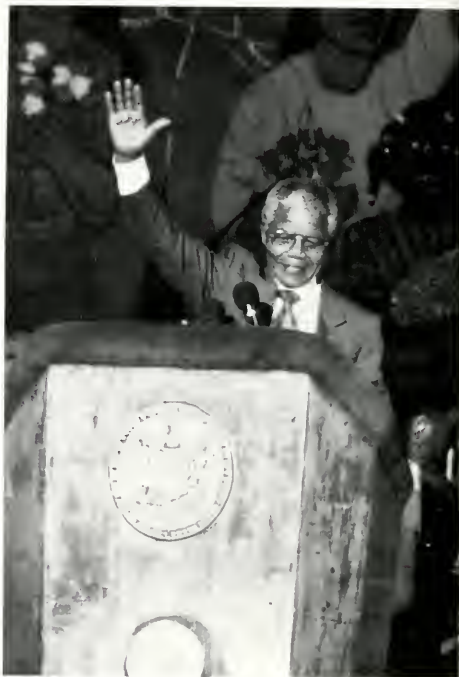
Nelson Mandela Wins Presidency of South Africa; Mandela Visits the United States; Senator Bob Dole is excited about '94 Elections



## GOP REGAINS POWER ON CAPITOL HILL



First Lady Hillary Clinton advises President Bill Clinton.



**Jim McKean**  
UMPIRE  
AMERICAN LEAGUE

I've been through a few of these and it's a big game of poker. Now there's no give on either side.

**Travis Allen Teschendorf**  
9-YEAR-OLD-FAN  
HOUSTON ASTRODOME

I don't like it. People won't be able to come to these games anymore, and I don't like that.

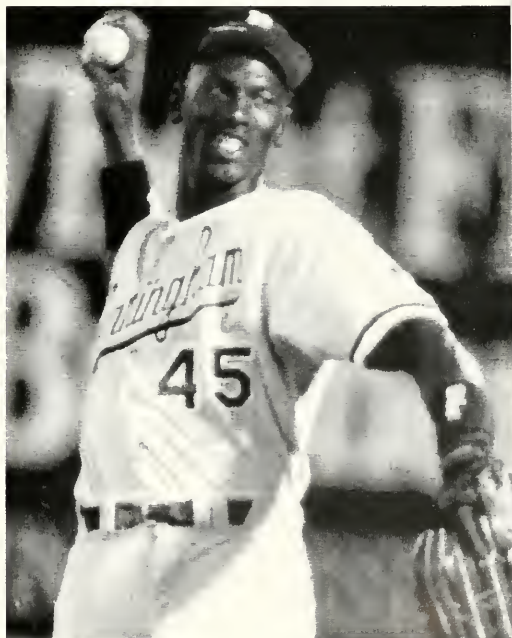
THE  
1994  
STRIKE



There is Peace in the Middle East. Israel and Jordan come together. Saddam Hussein is still up to no good in Kuwait.



Actress Angela Bassett lands Globe Award for "What's Love Got to Do With It?"



Top) Princess Diane and Prince Charles separation makes history in the English Monarch. Below) Trouble in Haiti calls for United States support. (Right) Michael Jordan enjoys the minor league.



The vision of an educational institution of higher learning for blacks was born in 1910 by a great man of faith, perseverance and diligence, Dr. James Edward Shepard. After receiving his degree at Shaw University, he founded this institution whose curriculum was centered around religious training. Therefore it was named the National Religious Training School and Chataqua, after which it became the National Training School. However, Dr. Shepard's vision surely didn't end there. After soliciting the support of North Carolina's General Assembly in 1923, the name was then changed to Durham State Normal School. Like many other African-Americans of his time, Dr. Shepard endured several difficulties, he came upon many stumbling blocks both financial and physical. The attribute of Dr. Shepard that served as his source of strength was his never-ending faith. It was by this faith that in 1925 this institution became North Carolina College for Negroes, the United States first state supported, liberal arts college for blacks.

Once again the college experienced another change in 1947, as it became North Carolina College at Durham. In the year 1969, the General Assembly called for the final change as it stands today on it's sloping hills and verdant green, North Carolina Central University.

Although Dr. James E. Shepard is no longer with us in the physical sense, his vision still lives on. He allowed his wings to spread in order that we may soar far and beyond the call of our educational and community-oriented duties. For we must remember that ... "The Eagle is No Ordinary Barnyard Fowl."

Chancellor Chambers at home with students during the meeting of his Book Club.







# The Vision

# Is

# Born

## A Look Behind The Scenes

North Carolina Central has a long history of graduates who have gone on to have successful careers causing them to gain worldwide recognition.

Such as ...

Ernie Barnes, famous artist whose works have been featured in "Good Times"

H. Micaux, Jr., North Carolina House Representative

Dan Blue, Speaker of the House of Representatives for the state of North Carolina

Jeanne Lucas, Senator for the state of North Carolina

Julius Chambers, Chancellor of North Carolina Central University

John Baker, Sheriff of Wake County

Sam Jones, NBA Hall of Fame Player for the Boston Celtics

Ivan Dixon, Actor on "Hogan's Heroes"

# Miss Collegiate African-American Visits North Carolina Central

Maletha L. Dixon, represented Jackson State University as Miss Jackson State University, at the Miss Collegiate African-American Pageant. Over 50 Historically Black Colleges and Universities Queens participate in this pageant annually. On June 18, 1994, Maletha Dixon was crowned Miss Collegiate African-American (MCAA). While at Jackson State University, Ms. Dixon received high academic honors and achievements. She obtained a full academic scholarship, and was a recipient of the Charles F. Moore Scholarship which awarded her an additional \$1000.00 per year stipend for outstanding academic performance. She was on the National Dean's List, listed in Who's who in American Colleges and Universities, Chairperson of the Student Advisory Council, member of the Accounting Society, and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated. Born in Jackson, Mississippi, the 21 year old attributes her overall success to God, her mother Brenda, and supportive family members. "I was driven by basic principles of faith in God, belief in myself, and determination. My message to people, particularly the young, is for them to grasp their own basic principles and live by them. By doing so, people can accomplish anything without limitations," Dixon stated. The winner of the pageant receives a \$10,000 cash prize, and the University in which the Queen represents is awarded \$25,000.00.

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# Bon Vivant Fashion Show



# Black College





# Day 1994-1995





# Graduate School Day





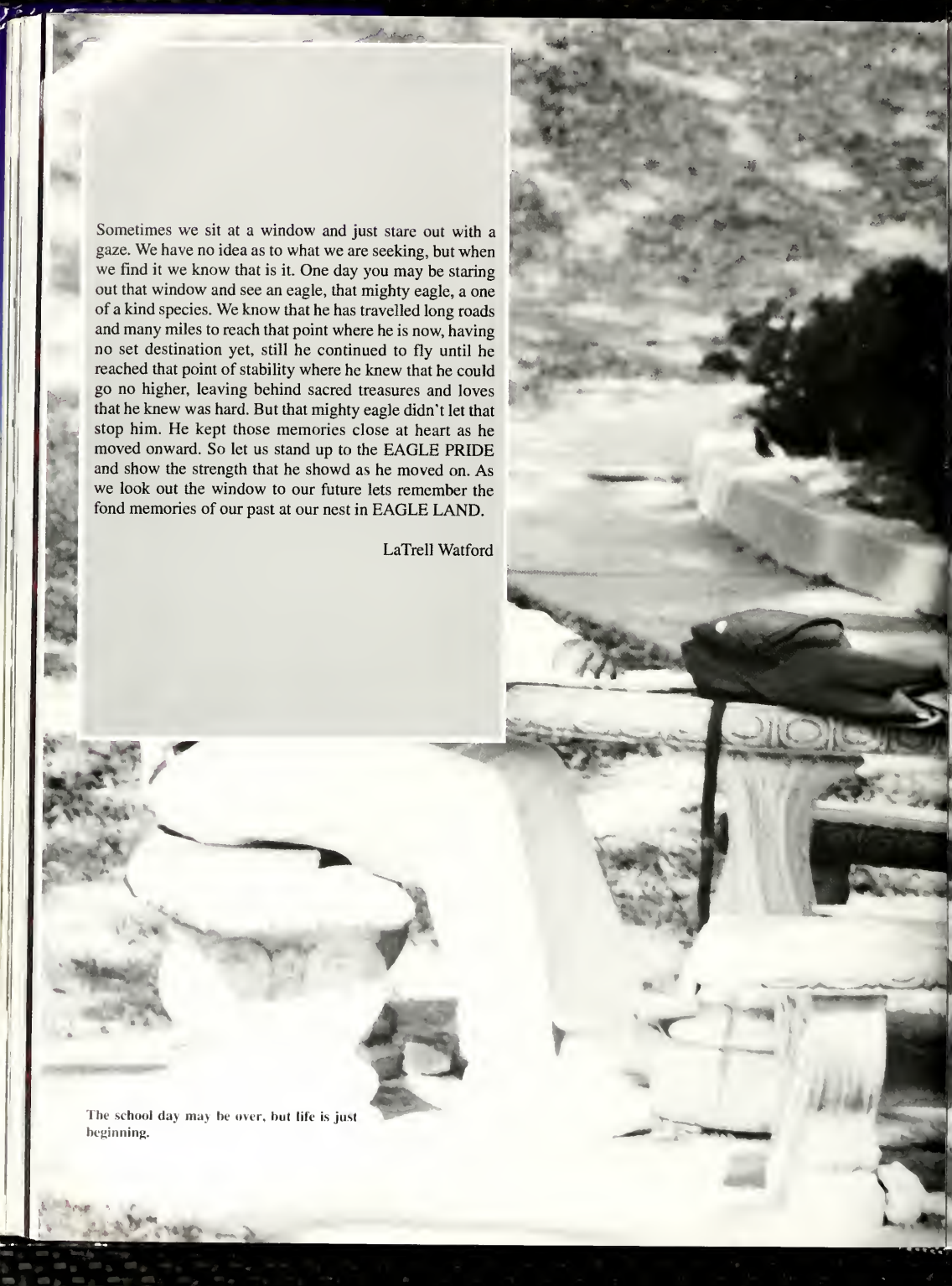
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A black and white photograph of a cemetery. In the foreground, a large, light-colored, rounded tombstone is partially visible. To the right, a dark bag sits on a stone bench. In the background, several other tombstones of various shapes and sizes are scattered across a grassy area. The overall scene is quiet and somber.

Sometimes we sit at a window and just stare out with a gaze. We have no idea as to what we are seeking, but when we find it we know that is it. One day you may be staring out that window and see an eagle, that mighty eagle, a one of a kind species. We know that he has travelled long roads and many miles to reach that point where he is now, having no set destination yet, still he continued to fly until he reached that point of stability where he knew that he could go no higher, leaving behind sacred treasures and loves that he knew was hard. But that mighty eagle didn't let that stop him. He kept those memories close at heart as he moved onward. So let us stand up to the EAGLE PRIDE and show the strength that he showed as he moved on. As we look out the window to our future lets remember the fond memories of our past at our nest in EAGLE LAND.

LaTrell Watford

The school day may be over, but life is just beginning.



# Eagles

## Leaving

## Our Nest

Moving On To A New Era

"The mere imparting of information is not education. Therefore if the students of NCCU are being educated then those of us who have graduated should be able to cash in our degree."

"I have really enjoyed Central this year. There has been a lot of changes for the better and I think the University will see more improvement in the years to come."

Lawanda Sessoms, Sophomore

"Through the good and bad times, we've overcome obstacles. Even though we will have trials and tribulations to come, we, the eagle family, shall be victors."

Walter Raleigh Higgs, Junior

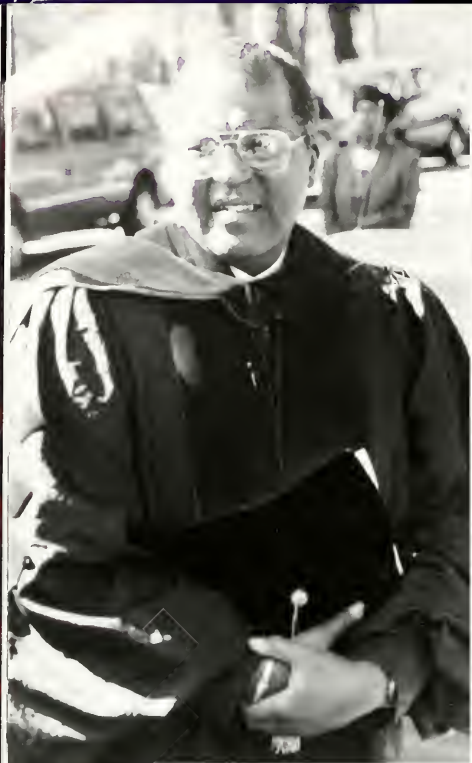
"Though struggles may come I've learned that hard times can be overcome. Central has given me the initiative to become a well rounded person who is better able to cope with such hard times"

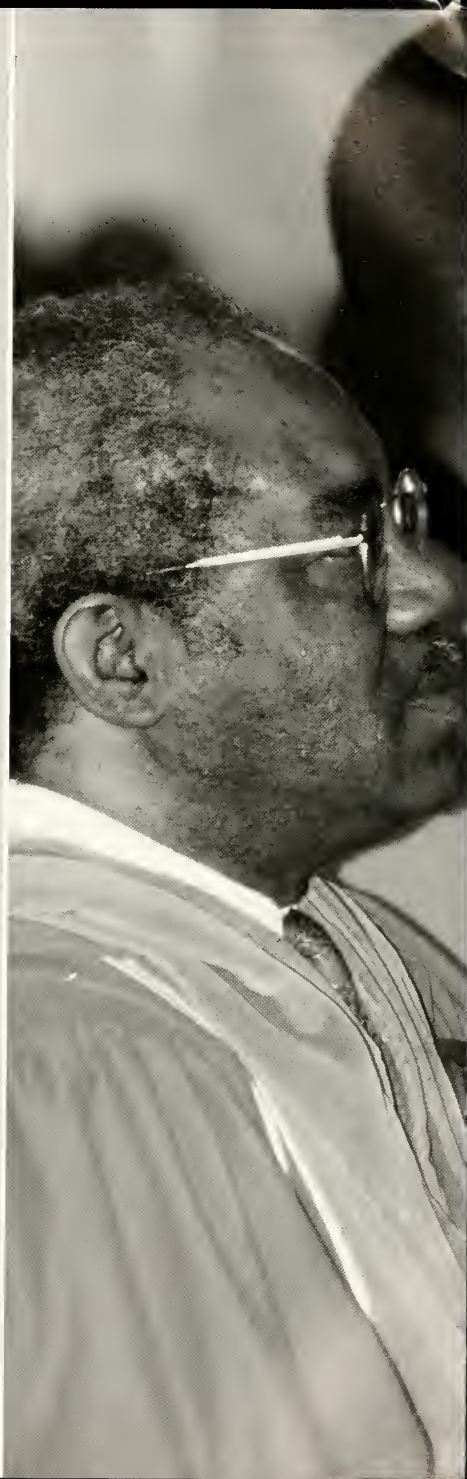
Melvin Norman, Sophomore

"I came to NCCU with dreams and goals, being here has taught me to stay focused and take every experience as one of learning, so that upon leaving this institution I can go out with a positive look on life."

Kathy Ennett, Junior



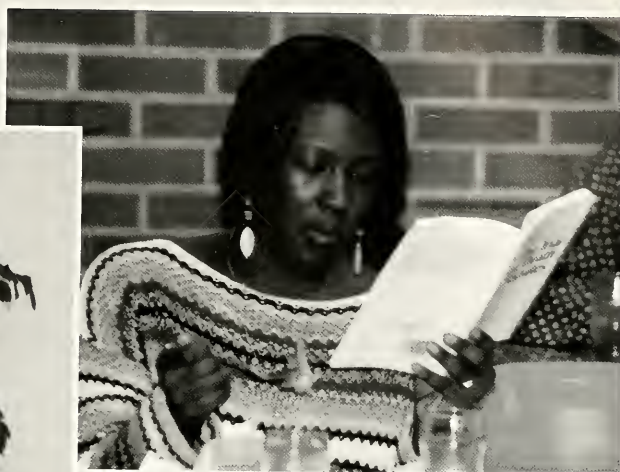


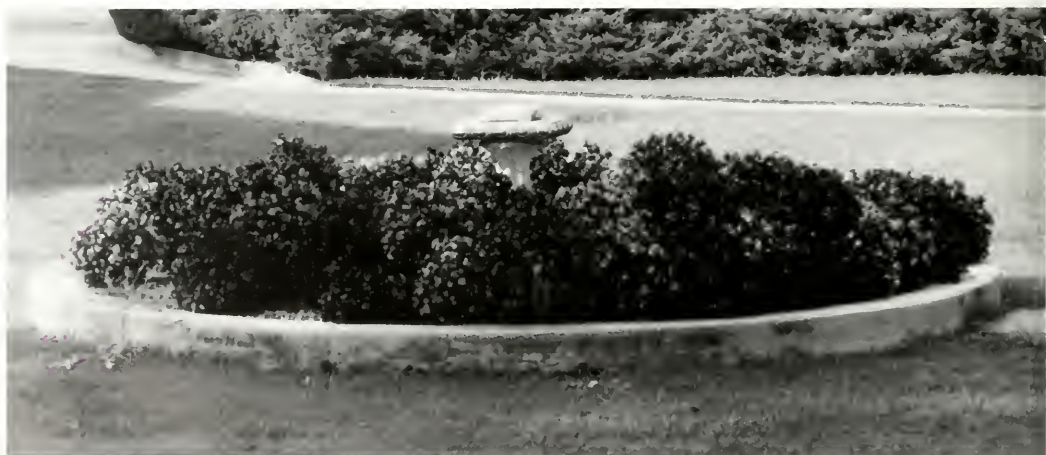
























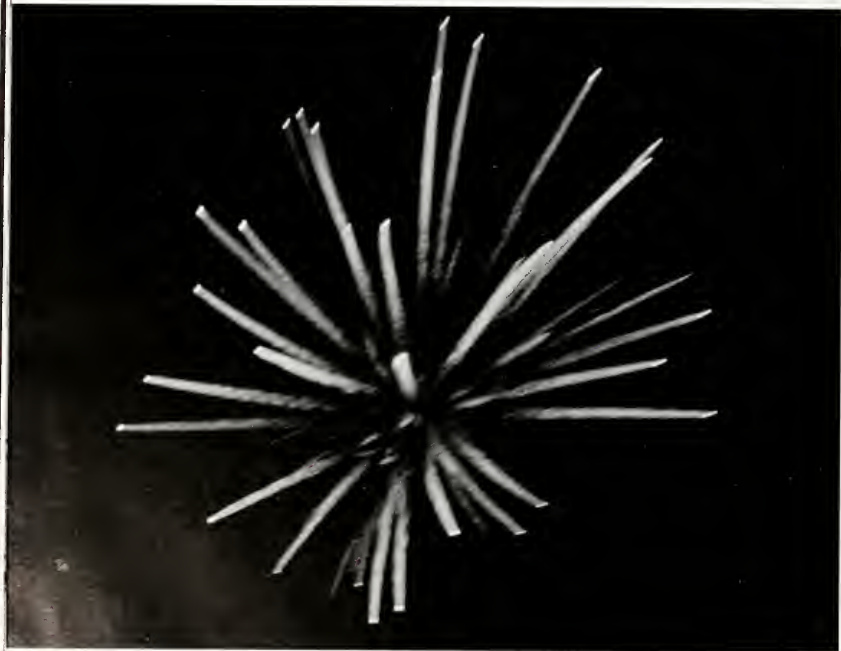














## THE ALMA MATER - 'DEAR OLD N.C.C.'

The sloping hills, the verdant green  
The lovely blossoms' beauteous sheen  
Surround our college proud and gay,  
Where wave our colors Maroon and Gray  
What matters it how far we roam,  
Our thots will oft return to home,  
And hearts will e'er be true to thee,  
Our Alma Mater N.C.C.

Then Rah! Rah! Rah! For our colors so gay!  
Dear Old N.C.C.'s Maroon and Gray  
Thy Sons and Daughters will honor thee,  
Dear Old N.C.C.

You send us forth with hearts of love  
So like a blessing from above,  
And from the path we'll never stray  
Our Dear Alma Mater Maroon and Gray  
We'll work and fight, we'll win our way.  
When duty calls we shall obey  
And may e'er return to thee  
Our Alma Mater, N.C.C.



Senior, Jimmy Monroe takes final walk through campus in route to Commencement 1995. The day has come to depart Dear Ole N.C.C.







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